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PENNSYLVANIA.

THE Democrats of Greene county have nominated R. A. McConnell for Assembly, and Abner Ross for Sheriff.

DR. E. D. GAZZAM, formerly of this city, is announced in the Philadelphia papers, as a candidate for Assembly from the XVth Legislative district.

ON Decoration Day the ceremonies in Tionesta were closed with a benediction invoked by "Hon. Mr. Brown, ex-member of the New York City Council."

WE learn that much of the wheat crop, in the northern part of our county is looking poor, having been injured by the cut worm last fall.—*Somerset Herald.*

MR. W. G. W. DAY, who has assumed the editorial management of the Waynesburg *Repository*, has dropped that title and resumed the former one of the *Republican.*

THE Uniontown *Genius of Liberty* sends out a supplement this week. The *Genius* is a particularly good local paper, and appears to be prospering, but its politics are deplorable.

THE Meadville *Republican* says: A new well yielding 100 barrels of oil daily is reported at Reno, this week. If as good as stated it will prove a fortunate strike for those who put their faith in Reno.

A BEAR created a sensation in Sinking Valley, near Tyrone, a few days ago, by entering on the premises of a farmer there, and devouring two sheep in the presence of the farmer, who was only too glad to escape undevoured himself.

THE Somerset *Herald* says the work on sections ninety-seven, eight and nine, of the P. & C. R. R., in Milford and Turkey-foot townships, is being pushed just now with great vigor, a fresh reinforcement of fifty hands, went to work on Monday morning last.

IN speaking of West Hickory, the Oil City *Times* says: Buildings are being erected, and oil rigs are springing up like mushrooms, and remind one of Pithole in its palmy days. The "Venture" well still continues to produce its 250 barrels per day. On the H. W. Scott farm, adjoining the Turtle farm, the Scott well is producing about 90 barrels.

VENANGO county nominations are: For Member of the 42nd Congress (subject to the decision of the Republican Conference) C. W. Gilfillan; for Assembly, J. D. McJunkin, of Franklin; for County Commissioner, Henry Dobbs, of Franklin; for County Auditor, John Gloss, of Rouseville; for Jury Commissioner, Robert Moffit, of Sugar Creek Township.

THE Raftsman's *Journal* says that notwithstanding the high stage of the water, last week, very few if any rafts reached market—the waters having subsided nearly as rapidly as they rose. Rafts are sticking on all the riffles along the river, and a great many were "stoved." This state of affairs entails considerable expense on the owners of timber, besides a great loss of time.

JOHN ALLENDER, of Mt. Pleasant township, Washington county, while engaged in taking a tree out by the roots, after digging about it became afraid it would fall in the wrong direction and climbed up it to fasten a rope to one of the upper branches. When he was fifty feet from the ground the tree fell, carrying him with it breaking his thigh and otherwise seriously injuring him, so that his recovery is despaired of.

THE Washington *Examiner* says: The well known Spanish ram "Specie," owned by H. C. Slusher & Co., of Amwell, was born a few days since, and his fleece weighed *thirty pounds.* It wanted thirteen days over a year since the ram was born before. "Specie" was shorn in the essence of Geo. W. Chamberlin, B. F. Tosser, L. S. Miller, C. D. Marsh, H. Meminney and others, who were also present when the fleece was weighed. If any of it wool-growers can beat this, we would like to hear from them.

THE Butler *American* says: Since our last, we have heard the gratifying news that the "Butler Branch," between this and Freeport, will be completed and the cars running by the first of October next. In a recent conversation with Mr. Snyder, the superintendent of its construction, he stated that the track would commence being laid, on the lower end, during the present month of June; and that from the progress already made, and the force at work, he thought it could be completed to Butler by the first of October.

WASHINGTON, PA.

Decoration Day—The Orator of the Occasion—How All Passed Off—Suicide—The Cause—Young Men's Christian Association Rooms—Ordination, &c.

[Correspondence Pittsburgh Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Pa., June 1, 1870.

EDITORS GAZETTE: Decoration Day was duly celebrated by our good people. The Post of the G. A. R. had the arrangement of the whole affair. With what they did no fault could be found. The procession was formed at one o'clock and was preceded by our excellent brass band, and reached the Cemetery about 2 P. M. A large concourse of people were assembled.

A stand was erected, from which prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Crenshaw. Then followed the oration by Hon. A. W. Campbell, of Wheeling, West Virginia. It gave entire satisfaction. The speaker was patriotic, but not partisan. His address was lengthy—too long for the occasion.

After the benediction was pronounced, by Rev. Mr. Woods, the flowers were strewed over the graves and the crowd quietly dispersed.

Our people, generally, appreciate Decoration Day; it grows in favor with them. Many of our places of business were closed in the afternoon, and all should have been.

SUICIDE.

An old man, nearly eighty years old, hung himself night before last, some two miles from town. His name was Patterson. A few weeks since he went to Ohio, and by largely representing himself as rich, persuaded a lady of some half his years to marry him. Finding that he was poor, she concluded to leave him and return to Ohio. He took this to heart and put an end to his earthly troubles by putting a rope round his neck. He wrote in a book the twenty-third Psalm, and in connection with this he stated that his wife's purpose to leave him led him to make way with his life.

Young Men's Christian Association. This is at last a fixed fact. It was organized a few weeks ago; rooms were secured, and furnished, and last evening they were formally opened. The exercises were interesting; a select choir from all the churches did the singing. It was under the direction of Prof. Wilson, principal of our public school. The scriptures were read by Rev. Mr. Wenderhall, and Rev. Mr. Donleson. The address of the occasion made by Freeman Brady, Esq., the Rev. Brownson, Woods and Crenshaw participated. It was a very pleasent occasion. The Association starts on its career of usefulness with flattering prospects. AMICUS.

OHIO.

CANTON celebrated Decoration Day by burying a dead soldier.

BERTHA FAGLEY was drowning in the Mahoning river at Alliance when, William Ciscoe, a colored lad, rescued her.

AT Columbus, a workingman, upon returning home from work on Saturday night, found his wife dead drunk, and attempted to commit suicide by cutting his throat with a razor.

A LITTLE boy about 11 years of age, son of Nehemiah Hubbard, of Ashtabula, went on Tuesday afternoon down to the creek at that place to bathe. Not returning towards evening, search was made. His body was found at last, with one hand uplifted from the water as if imploring for that help which never came.

THE Mansfield *Herald* devotes a quarter of a column to dilations upon the fact that Sourbeck at Alliance charged him a quarter for a cup of tea. It seems to be the principle and not the fact that the *Herald* is driving at, although he does not deny that he was stuck for the quarter, as he had promised the tea to a fair one on the cars.

GENERALITIES.

THE Buffalo is extincting fast.

A WITLING calls the Pope's age sacerdotage.

A MORMON revival is going on in New Albany.

THE Sons of Malta again flourish in Philadelphia.

ONE of the Webb sisters has a niece, and it is not Ada.

IN Iowa six thousand acres have been planted with flax.

PRESIDENT GARRETT has spoken a piece in Louisville.

THE young Napoleon swears nicely in Spanish, his native tongue.

DYSPEPSIA, says Alphonse Karr, is the remorse of a guilty stomach.

IN San Francisco a female teacher who marries is at once discharged.

MRS. REVELS'S state toilette is crimson silk with sky-blue trimmings.

AN improved wheel barrow has been invented in Lake county, California.

MISS CHARLOTTE CUSHMAN was to leave Rome for America on the 20th of May.

AMERICANS are achieving renown at the German watering places as pick pockets.

A STATUE to Martin Luther is about to be put up in Eisleben, Saxony, his native town.

JOSH BILLINGS, although he is sixty years old, does like a good agricultural horse trot.

THE new Russified University of Warsaw, in Poland, has five professors and only one student.

CONSTANTINOPLE never has mad dogs, and the reason is supposed to be that they are never muzzled.

P. T. BARNUM reflects upon the veracity of Miss Anna Dickinson's statement in regard to the Mormons.

BISMARK is trying to get Samana Bay and stands ready to take it at the moment the United States refuses it.

THE latest addition to the shoo-fly collection has appeared in San Francisco in the shape of a pony with two tails.

BURNAND, the author of "Happy Thoughts," has lost his wife. His thoughts upon the occasion have not been divulged.

MR. VALLANDIGHAM says he is going to bid good-bye to politics. He has been very slow in returning this courtesy of politics.

THE Philadelphia *Bulletin* wants Jefferson to have the commedy of Rip Van Winkle re-written by a Philadelphia dramatist.

A SECRET order, with ritual, signs and grips, called the Earthquake, has originated in Tipton, Ind. Its object and purpose are unknown.

A BALTIMORE lady just to prove her keroscene from one jug to another, and now jugs and other earthly affairs have ceased to interest her.

THE Chicago *Post* says if O'Neil had been smart, he'd have been out of Burlington jail before now, on a plea of temporary insanity.

THOUSANDS of workmen are now engaged upon the extension of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad, from White Sulphur, Virginia, to the Ohio.

A NORWICH hen has hatched a chicken with one head, two bodies and four legs. The head has got all that it can do to pick up food sufficient for two bodies.

THE nail works at Bellville, Illinois, are at last running in full blast. The iron used is from Missouri, and is reported to be the best in he world for the purpose.

Two hundred and fifty steamers plow the Danube, but they do not have nearly so many harrowing accidents as we do here on the Mississippi or Hudson.

THE coal fields of Illinois are estimated to contain 1,277,000,000 tons of coal, six times as much as in Great Britain, and one-third of all the coal measures of North America.

A GENTLEMAN looking into a tailor's window, in Liverpool, was knocked down and badly injured by a runaway cab which dashed through the shop, and out at the window.

MEMBERS of the Senate Finance Committee say there is no doubt that the Senate will pass a tax bill this session—either the House bill or the one reported by Mr. Sherman.

THE Louisville *Courier-Journal* says that Sumner can never feel that Virginia is properly reconstructed until the name of the White Sulphur Springs has been changed.

IT is General Butler's intention to report the Georgia Bill, and demand immediate action thereon. No changes have been made in the bill, it being similar to the bill admitting Virginia.

GENERAL SCHENCK, encouraged by his marked success in disposing of the Tax bill so rapidly, will very soon offer his Funding bill to the House, and the Committee of Ways and Means held a meeting, having the subject under discussion.

A FAMILY named Buchanan at Christiansburg, Brown county, Indiana, were poisoned on the 24th ult. Three packages of poison were found in the well, supposed to be placed there by a relative who was anxious to obtain their property. The oldest son has died. The others, at last accounts were alive but in a critical condition.

THE House Reconstruction Committee hope to close the subject of reconstruction by maturing a bill for general amnesty, which will be urged to a speedy vote under the pressure of the previous question rule. General Butler is himself in favor of an amnesty bill, and hopes to be able to report it with the unanimous approval of the committee.

THOUGH the shipping bill lost the support of the Protectionists at the close, its defeat was clearly a triumph of the Republican free trade interest, which fought the measure with the utmost obstinacy. The scene was quite exciting all through the debate, and there is genuine rejoicing at the result among the British importing and steamship agents, who are in Washington in force.

IT is said that, on the first trip made by the Adams Express Company between New York and Boston, thirty years ago, the business was conducted by old Adams, and that the way-bill amounted to only four dollars. To show how business increases, we state, upon authority, that sometimes now, on a good trip, it amounts to *twice that.*—See what energy and perseverance will do.—*N. Y. Democrat.*

A RECENT inquiry of the Commissioners on Lunacy, in regard to the treatment of paupers in England, discloses some horrible facts. It appears that the chief treatment for violent cases is by kneeling on the body of the patient, which leaves no tell-tale bruises on the skin, and breaks the ribs in so many places at once that death generally ensues from "pleurisy" or some other "natural causes."

THE first musquito story of the season comes from Maine. The Sillsworth *American* tells it, and it is to the effect that the mosquitoes are so numerous in Orland that three boys "concluded to see how many they could gather. They scraped them up and put them into a large sized factory pail until it was crowded and heaped full, and they judged they scraped off of the water and put on the ground and crushed more than two pails full more."

"On the evening of May 14," says the London *Times*, "Earl de Grey was installed as Grand Master of English Free Masons, and such assemblages of the craft as were there gathered to give him a cordial greeting is altogether without precedent or parallel. That such should have been the case is not to be wondered at when it is known that there has been no similar event in this country for twenty-six years, the Grand Mastership having for that period been occupied by the Earl of Zetland, who now retires from the throne of Free Masonry. The occasion was rendered still more interesting from the intimation that Brother the Prince of Wales had given out, some time since, that whenever the Grand Master-elect should be installed as Grand Master, he should do himself the pleasure of being present to witness it. Upwards of 1,200 of the highest officers in the craft were present, some of them from China, Canada, America, and other countries."

FIRST EDITION.

MIDNIGHT.

NEWS BY CABLE.

The Fenian Scare in England—Extraordinary Precautions—Trial of French Regicide Conspirators—The Slavery Question in Spain.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

GREAT BRITAIN.

LONDON, June 3.—The Admiralty authorities are alarmed by the rumored Fenian design to attack the naval arsenals simultaneously, and have strengthened the garrisons and taken extraordinary precautions against an assault. The Davenport and Plymouth and the Portsmouth and Plymouth dock yards, and the Woolwich arsenal are strongly guarded. The leaders contemplated an outbreak and attack simultaneously with the Canadian raid, but in consequence of the failure of that movement, the design was abandoned. It is now believed they are trying to create a sensation and excitement.

The New York yachts and those of the Royal Thames Yacht Club will compete on the 15th for the Doverton cup. The course will be from Dover, England, to Boulounge, France, and back.

Apprehensions are felt in regard to the movements of the Fenians in England, and as a consequence orders have been issued to double the guards at all the dock yards and naval stations in Great Britain, and to keep the fires banked in all steamers and other precautions calculated to facilitate the suppression of any revolt.

The report has been confirmed that the Prince of Wales has been negotiating for the purchase of an estate in Ireland. He has concluded the bargain.

The final passage of the land bill is regarded favorably by the Irish press generally, and some of the newspapers are jubilant.

The alleged Fenians, Davitt and Wilson, were again brought up for examination today. Some of the evidence is important, going to show that the prisoners had been actively engaged for some time past in distributing arms in Ireland and the north of England. The Government continues its precautions against Fenian violence.

The *Examiner* recommends the several provinces of Spain and Portugal to form a federal Union based on the principles of the Constitution of the United States.

Shirley Brooks is the successor of the late Mark Lemon as active editor of the London *Punch.*

Mrs. John Wood, the actress, acknowledges the receipt of an anonymous gift of diamonds and emeralds amounting to seven hundred pounds in value.

Americans in London are excessively annoyed by the slow and uncertain delivery of letter and newspaper mails from home.

A material reduction has been made in tolls on cables connecting between England and India via Gibraltar and Malta.

LIVERPOOL, June 3.—Twenty-two thousand emigrants, mainly Irish, left this city for America during May. Nine-tenths went to New York.

FRANCE.

PARIS, June 3.—The Chamber of Judgment of the High Court of Justice has convened for the trial of the Imperial assassination conspirators.

Several of the prisoners charged with complicity in the conspiracy plot were yesterday brought up for preliminary examination at the High Court. The Court also investigated the papers found on the persons of some of the prisoners. Many of these papers, however, have no connection whatever with the conspiracy. While some of the prisoners were held for trial, several were unconditionally released.

The physicians of Paris report that the practical value of vaccination as a preventive of small-pox has been professionally demonstrated by actual observation in that city during the past month.

The High Court of Justice, of which the Chamber of Accusation is now in session, will meet at Bloise on the 30th of June, for the trial of persons charged with conspiracy.

SPAIN.

MADRID, June 3.—The debate upon the emancipation proposition in the Cortes will shortly be resumed. Gradual emancipation has been proposed by the majority of the members, but to be compensated for by the State.

A riot occurred in Little Village, near here, yesterday, on account of an attempted collection of taxes. One man was killed and two fatally wounded. There was no bloodshed, and disorder was quietly suppressed.

A riot broke out in Valladolid yesterday, in consequence of notification given by the city Government of the reduction of the wages of popular taxes. Troops were called out and the disturbances quickly suppressed, but not before some fighting had occurred. Ten Cashiers were killed and eight wounded. Many arrests were made and the city is now quiet.

SWITZERLAND.

ZURICH, June 3.—Captain Charles Duncan Cameron, formerly British Consul at Massowah, Abyssinia, whose imprisonment by King Theodore occasioned the late Abyssinian war, died in Genoa yesterday, where he had gone for the benefit of his health.

ITALY.

ROME, June 3.—Immediately after the promulgation of infallibility on the 20th of June, the Ecumenical Council will take a recess until the 15th of October.

GERMANY.

BERLIN, May 3.—Arrangements are completed for the investiture of the Duchy of Louerburg to the Kingdom of Prussia.

GREECE.

ATHENS, June 3.—Several more brigands have been sentenced and beheaded.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

LONDON, June 3.—*Evening.*—Consols for money 92¾; account 93. American securities quiet and steady; 6's, 89¾; 5-20's, old, 89¾; 10's, 90½; 10-40s, 86¾. Stocks dull; Erie, 18¾; Illinois, 109½; G. W., 29½.

PARIS, June 3.—Bourse quiet at 75@82.

HAVRE, June 3.—Cotton opened heavy; spot 124½; afloat 42af.

FRANKFORT, June 3.—Bonds closed firm at 95¼@95¾.

HAVRE, May 3.—Cotton closed quiet.

ANTWERP, May 3.—Petroleum firm.

LIVERPOOL, June 3.—Cotton—sales for the week, 51,000 bales; exports 4,000; speculation 5,000; stock 609,000; American 346,000. Sales for the week, 46,000; American 21,000; amount afloat 329,000; American 136,000 bales. Market quiet; sales 8,000 bales; uplands 10½@10¾; Orleans 11. Manchester market dull. Receipts of Wheat for 3 days 7500 quarters; American 5000. California white wheat 10s; red western No. 2 8s 6d; winter 9s 3d@9s 4d. Western Flour 21s 3d. Corn—No 2 mixed 29s 3d. Oats 36s 6d. Barley 5s. Peas 48s. Pork 102s 6d. Beef 114s. Lard 69s. Cheese 68s. Bacon quiet at 58s 6d for Cumberland; 54s 6d for short rib. Common Rosin 5s. Tallow 45s 3d@45s 6d. Sugar quiet and steady. Linseed oil 1s 6d easier £4 5s per cental for English. Linseed oil £32.

THE INDIANS.

Dispatch from General Hancock—His View of the Situation, from Observation.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

CHICAGO, June 3.—The following dispatch was received this morning at the military headquarters:

Sioux City, June 2.—To Assistant Adjutant General, Headquarters Military Division of Missouri: I have just returned to this point, having left Spotted Tail Agency on the 30th ult., and had conversations with Indians there. Troops have been placed at old Fonda, Whetstone, Crow Creek, Cheyenne and Grand River Agencies. I have visited all except the latter. General Stanley was there a few days since, and everything was quiet. I have ordered two companies to Lower Brule Agency, eighteen miles below Crow Creek Agency, as applied for the agent, who informed me that he could not continue his business operations unless troops were placed there. Everything remains quiet, but the future is considered uncertain along the river. At Cheyenne, Major Randall's agency, the only place where I talked with Indians, I observed that they made no promises for the future, and some of the Indians there as well as at other agencies complained of troops being placed on their reservations. They understand, however, why it was done, and seem to admit the justice of it. My impression is that we shall have no trouble with Indians on the Missouri river, of any general nature, if the Government continues the policy of feeding them. Otherwise, I have no doubt there will be serious trouble. They will be more likely to make trouble elsewhere, however, as they can only trade on the Missouri. I am now sending for representative men of refractory Indians clearly would have a good effect, and would generally break down in their influence with Indians.

I request authority to advertise a reward of $500 or $1,000, say in horses, for the murderers of the family on Niobrara river. I believe we may thus capture them, and at least produce the effect of deterring others from committing like outrages, for fear of being arrested through similar rewards.

I leave by first train for St. Paul.

[Signed.] WINFIELD S. HANCOCK,
Major General U. S. A.

Upper Rivers.

[By P. and A. Telegraph.]

GREENSBORO, June 3.—River rising slowly with three feet nine inches of water in the channel; thermometer 76 deg. at 5 P. M.

MORGANTOWN, June 3.—River rising with thirty-two inches of water in the channel; weather cloudy; thermometer 70 deg. at 5 P. M.

BROWNSVILLE, June 3.—River rising slowly with three feet nine inches of water in the channel; weather cloudy; thermometer 74 deg. at 6 P. M.

News From Winnipeg.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

TORONTO, June 3.—A dispatch from St. Cloud says Riell is dissatisfied with the Manitoba bill, because it don't provide general amnesty, and intends to resist. The Red River expedition has two hundred men at Fort Garry and eight hundred on the prairie. A battle is expected near Lake of the Woods. Riell is said to be robbing the mails to procure funds previous to leaving for the United States.

XLIST CONGRESS,

(SECOND SESSION.)

Indian Appropriations—Progress with the Internal Revenue Bill—Income Tax Reduced and Exemption Increased—The Yeas and Nays on the Question.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, June 3, 1870.

SENATE.

Mr. KELLOGG, from Committee on Commerce, reported resolutions for the appointment of a Committee of five by the President of Senate, whose duty it shall be to consider the whole subject of preventing the alluvial of lands on the lower Mississippi from overflow by a complete levee system, to sit during recess, and report by bill or otherwise, and to employ a clerk. Adopted.

Mr. POMEROY, from Committee on Public Lands, reported, with amendments, the bill to extend the provisions of pre-emption laws to Colorado.

Mr. MORTON presented a memorial and resolutions of Israelites of Indianapolis, calling attention to the massacre of Jews in Roumania, and requesting the interposition of the President of the United States in behalf of that persecuted and outraged people. Referred to Committee on Foreign Relations.

Mr. SUMNER offered a resolution calling on the President for any information in the Department of State concerning the reported persecution and massacre of Israelites in Roumania. Adopted.

A general discussion took place as to the order of business, Mr. TRUMBULL trying to fulfill the understanding of the Committee of Representatives in Congress among the several States.

The Senate proceeded with the Indian appropriation bill.

Mr. HARLAN, from the Committee on Indian affairs, reported a number of amendments, making appropriations to fulfil treaty stipulations, being principally in payment of subsistence, annuities, &c., of Indian tribes. The items embrace $220,000 for the Arapahoes and other tribes, $75,000 for Navajoe Indians, $60,000 for Wyandotte Indians, $22,000 to the Winnebago Indians, or refunding the amount taken from their tribal funds to pay the expenses of removal from Minnesota by orders of the Government, and placed to their credit, and the income expended in improvement of their lands, purchase of stock, agricultural implements, &c. The amendments were agreed to.

Mr. WILLIAMS introduced a joint resolution authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to increase the compensation of Assistant Marshals for taking the census of 1870, the increase not to exceed fifty per cent. of the amount now allowed by law. He would ask for consideration of the resolution to-morrow.

Further amendments from the Committee on Indian affairs to the Indian bill were offered, appropriating $50,000 to collect, locate and subsist roving Indians on the borders of Mexico and Texas.

Without disposing of the bill, the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Mr. CULLOM reported a bill amending the act of May 8th, so as to allow writs of error in Territories from decisions of probate to the Supreme Court. Passed.

Mr. WINCHESTER offered a resolution declaring the House views with profound regret and sympathy the gross violations of the great principle of religious liberty by some people of Roumania in their persecutions and outrages against Israelites, and expressing the earnest hope that they would speedily cease.

Mr. SCHENCK wished to know whether there was any authority for it, except a little paper laid on the desks of members this morning. The House had been hoaxed two or three times before by papers laid on them. On his motion the resolution was referred to Foreign Committee.

Mr. MORTON offered to report the Georgia bill from the Reconstruction Committee, but the House refused to set aside the tax bill.

Mr. KELSEY offered an amendment reducing the income tax to three per cent., was rejected—90 to 84.

The yeas and nays were called for and resulted: yeas 114, nays 77.

Yeas—Messrs. Allen, Archer, Armstrong, Axtell, Ayer, Banks, Barry, Beck, Bennett, Biggs, Bingham, Bird, Bowen, Brooks, (Mass.) Brooks, (N. Y.), Buffington, Burr, Butler, (Mass.), Cleveland, Covode, Cowles, Davis, Dawes, Degener, Dickinson, Donley, Dox, Duval, Eldridge, Ela, Farnsworth, Fisher, Fox, Getz, Gilfillan, Griswold, Haight, Hamilton, (Md.) Hamilton, (Florida,) Hamill, Harris, Hawley, (Ill.) Hawley, (Conn.) Hay, Hayes, Hill, Holman, Ingersoll, Jones, (N. C.) Jones, (Ky.) Kelley, (Penn.) Kelsey, Vermont, Smythe (Iowa), Stokes, Stone, Stoughton, Strickland, Sweeney, Taffee, Tanner, Tilman, Townsend, (Penn.) Van Aernam, Wallace, Ward, Washburne (Mass.), Wheeler, Whitmore, Willard, Williams, Wilson (Ohio), Winans, Witcher and Wood.—121.

After an animated discussion Mr. Beck's amendment, to tax interest on all United States bonds, was rejected—9 to 188.

The House then proceeded with the remaining sections.

Mr. BROOKS offered an amendment to one section, providing to reduce the existing tariff on sugar and salt thirty-three per cent., on coffee twenty-five per cent., and pig iron and scrap iron 22½ per cent.

Mr. ELDRIDGE made the point of order that tariff propositions were not in order to an internal revenue bill.

[It was understood this movement was attempted to shut out the tariff bill which Mr. Schenck proposes to attach to the pending measure.]

After arguments on the point of order the Speaker submitted the question to the House, which decided, 117 to 35, that the amendment was germain to the bill.

The question was then raised whether it could be offered to the pending section, and the Speaker decided it could not be.

The House reached the last sections of the bill on which Mr. SCHENCK moved the previous question, when, without disposing of it, the House adjourned.

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

—The National Sangerfest begins at Cincinnati on the 15th instant.

—Gorham, Gray & Co., cotton brokers, of New York and Boston, failed yesterday.

—Horace Greeley, with his wife and two daughters, arrived at New York from Nassau yesterday.

—Seventy-five Chinamen left San Francisco for Massachusetts, on Thursday, to work in a boot and shoe factory.

—A complete statement of Fenian losses in the late raid gives eleven killed and seven wounded, three mortally.

—Henry Croll was murdered by some unknown fiends, Rikin, Ill., on Thursday. The murderer robbed him of $105.

—Joseph G. E. Larned, a well known member of the bar of New York city, died suddenly Thursday night last while riding home in his carriage.

—A man named Frank D. Miner has been arrested for swindling, in selling ten lots in Chicago to three different persons, giving each a deed, when he himself never owned them.

SECOND EDITION.

FOUR O'CLOCK.

THE CAPITAL.

The Indian Question—Income Tax—Indians Interviewed—May Payments—Tennessee and Georgia Matters—Appointments, &c., &c.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, June 3, 1870.

THE INDIAN QUESTION.

Red Cloud and the party accompanying him remained quietly within doors all day yesterday. Though here but twenty-four hours, they are getting tired of the restraints of civilization and manifest an impatience to come to an understanding with the Government. Serious work is unquestionably at hand, and Commissioner Parker both feels it and acknowledges it. The President and Secretary of War are both anxious and fearful, and General Sherman, who perhaps better understands the situation than any one else, openly declares that nothing short of a miracle, or a strict compliance with treaty stipulations on the part of the Government, will avert an extensive Indian war. He has advised the President to endeavor to impress Red Cloud with an idea of the military power of the Government, to make a show of our offensive strength, and to keep him East until he shall have acquired such acquaintance with the resources and power of the Government as will inspire him with fear and cause him to bear home to his people such impressions that they will not dare meet us in conflict. If anything may be inferred from the few expressions that have escaped Red Cloud since he and his party left Leavenworth, the strong probability is that the great power of the Government has already begun to dawn on him.

THE INCOME TAX.

In regard to the income tax, it is doubtful if its total abolition will be carried, but it is evident, however, that the amount of the exemption will be increased, and the rates of the tax reduced. It is asserted, by those best acquainted with the subject, that if the House internal tax bill becomes a law, at least one-half of the present officers connected with the internal revenue can be dispensed with, for the reason that the bill simplifies the working of the system and cuts off unnecessary work. It is also stated that about two districts can be consolidated into one.

HAD AN INTERVIEW.

The Sioux delegations met at the Indian office to-day, with Commissioner Parker and Secretary Cox. Addresses were made by both gentlemen, after which a private interview or meeting with the Indians, the latter asking them to detail their condition that a perfect understanding might be arrived at, a report made that would last forever. Red Cloud said a few words in reply, in which he said he would return to his people as an ambassador of peace, and a load of ammunition to kill game with. Secretary Cox promised a careful consideration of the request.

MAY PAYMENTS.

The payments made by the Treasury during May were:

Civil and Miscellaneous	$4,646,025 16
War	4,564,520 10
Navy	2,165,982 91
Interior	673,391 20

The above do not include payments on account of interest or redemption of the public debt.

NOT ACCEPTABLE.

The Committee on Banking and Currency are not inclined to the adoption of the bill presented them to-day from the National Free Banking Association of the South, proposing the funding of the public debt and establishing a uniform gold and paper currency.

CASE OF GEORGIA.

The Reconstruction Committee were in session last night and at an early hour this morning. Some Congressional action may be recommended at the next meeting. The amnesty question was considered.

APPOINTMENTS.

The following nominations were sent in today by the President: Wayne McVeigh, of Pennsylvania, Minister Resident at Constantinople; Adolph Boschner, of Kentucky, Second; M. H. Cliffe, Assessor of Internal Revenue, 6th District of Tennessee.

NOT TRUE.

There is no truth in the report that Commissioner Delano had decided the special tax must be paid on the Union Pacific and Hudson Scrip. The matter is still under consideration by the Supervisor of New York.

NEW STAMPS.

The Commissioner of Internal Revenue has approved a design for a new two-cent stamp for bank checks.

LOUISVILLE.

Press Excursionists to Mammoth Cave.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 3.—Thursday morning at 7½ o'clock the excursion train from the Associated Press and of the Kentucky Press Association, with their wives and friends, numbering in all eighty-six souls, left the Louisville and Nashville depot in two luxurious and elegant coaches, which the Louisville and Nashville Company, with their characteristic liberality, had placed at the disposal of the excursionists for the Mammoth Cave. A powerful coal-burning engine was attached to the train, which was heavier than usual, but the party soon left whisking along over the smooth and well ballasted road at the rate of fifty miles an hour. Acquaintances were soon formed, and in less than half an hour after starting the excursionists seemed like a party of old friends. A ride of four hours brought the train to Cave City, where the guests and party, and after a hasty lunch a line of coaches, the genuine stage coach of early days, kindly furnished by Mr. Casey, of Cave City, received the party, were drawn up, and then the work of loading them commenced. The party was found to be larger than had been anticipated, but the capacity of the coaches seemed to be unlimited. The ladies were placed inside and the gentlemen on top and on the front seat with the driver's seat. A coach, which at first glance seemed unable to accommodate more than a dozen passengers, received twenty-three, by dexterous loading, and still there was room for more. The editorial room, with its multiplicity of persons and baggage, was left behind. The stern hard line chiseled by the rigid discipline of journalism relaxed, and the genial lights from the eye; the over-strained bow was unstrung and the leading journalists of the west were as a party of merry, careless, happy schoolboys, granted a vacation after a long and tedious session. Three miles from Cave City to Indian Cave, the Jehus said to the eager excursionists, "Mammoth Cave in Cuba is unable to conquer the people of Cuba, to suppress the rebellion, to enforce its authority, to secure due observance of its orders among Spaniards, even to support its own officers, to protect the rights of foreigners, to abolish practices which have been prepared. After refreshing draughts the party entered the cave, which had been illuminated in honor of the gentlemen of the press. The many beauties and wonders of the cave were thoroughly examined, and the party returned once more to daylight, and the process of packing the coaches was again gone through with, and the train, in charge of engaged therein, a strict neutrality. The record would justify our Government in recognizing the independence of Cuba, or a declaration of war, but we propose only to provide for the emergency specific measures precisely like those adopted in the case of Mexico. We ask only that in the armed contest in Cuba, the existence of which it would be a crime to question, Spaniards and the United States shall be proclaimed and enforced.

The foregoing is but a brief synopsis of the report, but embraces all its salient points. It appears it was completed last April, and was adopted by a majority of the Committee, after which the accompanying resolution was presented to the House, and referred to the proper committee. But that day has long since gone by, and Gen. Banks had made but feeble efforts to bring the resolutions before the attention of the House for final action.

The report makes no recommendation regarding naturalized Americans, although it denounces in strong terms the cruelty and cowardice which caused the deaths of Wyeth and Speakman. Messrs. Hoar and Logan, will, it is believed, be prepared with a resolution additional to that reported by Mr. Banks, authorizing and instructing the Executive to demand prompt indemnity from the Spanish Government.

The first annual report of the Evansville, Terre Haute and Chicago Railroad is published to-day. The following paragraph is of great interest: The Directors believe that all of our road will be completed to its northern terminus by January 1, 1871. The gap, now only thirty-five miles, on the Evansville, Henderson and Nashville Railroad will be closed during the month of September next. The Chicago and Danville Railroad is reported to be making fair progress, and the managers propose its completion to Danville by the close of the present year, thus making, with our road and the Evansville and Crawfordsville Railroad, a great through route from Nashville to Chicago.

—While Louis Coly and Louis Rush were working on a staging on the Farwell Hall building, Chicago, yesterday, at an elevation of some fifty feet from the sidewalk, the staging, consisting merely of a ladder with boards laid lengthwise, and suspended from the roof, gave way and Coly was precipitated to the sidewalk, killing him instantly. Rush seized a rope, sprang into a window and saved himself.

—Charles Saulsbury, a clerk in the Philadelphia Postoffice, has been held to bail in the sum of ten thousand dollars to answer a charge of leaving the Postoffice with letters in his possession, tearing them open and destroying them after finding that their contents were of no value to him.

CUBAN AFFAIRS.

Synopsis of the Report of the House Committee on Foreign Relations.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, June 3. The *Herald* publishes the forthcoming report of the House Foreign Affairs Committee on Cuba, of which the following is a synopsis:

The report opens by referring to all the numerous petitions in behalf of Cuba, signed by nearly seventy-five thousand people of the United States, and then, after recapitulating the early stages of the struggle, the delusive promises of Spain to speedily crush the rebellion, and the immense effort made by Spaniards and volunteers, continues as follows: The Cubans had at Yara, October 10th, 1868, 147 men, 4,000 on the 12th of October, 9,500 in November, and 12,000 in December. They have now 20,000 well armed men; there are 60,000 enrolled and drilled, but without arms, and they claim that with a supply of arms they can put into the field 200,000 fighting men. Citizens, farmers and emancipated black men of Cuba are fighting for its liberty. These hostile forces have not forgotten the objects for which they were organized. From the declaration of Cuban independence at Yara to this hour there has not been a week, scarcely a day, which has not been marked in the calendar of war by fierce and bloody contests. No revolution presents a more constant and determined struggle. Although the Cubans were undisciplined and unaccustomed to the use of arms, of which in the beginning they had few or none, and their enemy was composed of the best troops of the army and navy of Spain, whose places in the military posts of the island had been supplied by resident Spaniards, organized as volunteers, the Cubans, nevertheless, have been ready to meet their foes in skirmish, combat or battle, and have shown themselves as brave in attack as the bravest. A record of nearly all the actions, skirmishes, combats and battles occurring from the 11th of October, 1868, to the defeat of Pueblo and Goyeneche, which terminated the campaign of December, 1869, and January, 1870, give an honorable distinction to the struggle of the Cubans for independence, that will in no less degree redound to the credit of a people long accustomed to self-government and trained to the use of arms. It is unnecessary for the purpose in view to speculate upon the advantages gained by Spaniards or Cubans in these constantly repeated hostile encounters. The record is presented as indisputable proof of the long continued existence of civil war in Cuba. But we recall the fact that the campaign of 1868-69 was closed by the capture of Puello and Goyeneche, which terminated the campaign of December, 1869, and January, 1870, give an honorable distinction to the struggle of the Cubans for independence, that will in no less degree redound to the credit of a people long accustomed to self-government and trained to the use of arms. It is unnecessary for the purpose in view to speculate upon the advantages gained by Spaniards or Cubans in these constantly repeated hostile encounters. The record is presented as indisputable proof of the long continued existence of civil war in Cuba. But we recall the fact that the campaign of 1868-69 was closed by the capture of Puello and Goyeneche, which terminated the campaign of December, 1869

THE DAILY GAZETTE.

OFFICIAL PAPER
Of Pittsburgh, Allegheny City and Allegheny County.

GAZETTE BUILDING:
Corner of Sixth Avenue and Smithfield Street.

SATURDAY, JUNE 4, 1870.

BONDS at Frankfort, 95¼.

PETROLEUM at Antwerp, 53½.

GOLD closed in New York yesterday at 111½@111¾.

A NATIONAL BANK at Erie is invicted in to our Federal Court, to answer upon a *quo warranto* to charges of illegal practices which if proved should forfeit its charter. The case has been for some time under discussion in banking circles, and will now have the careful attention which is to establish it or disprove it.

IT IS ANNOUNCED that the great Papal Council will proclaim the dogma of the infallibility of the head of their Church, on the 29th of June. From the same day, will date a more general disbelief in its just foundations, than ever yet led the world or disturbed the Roman Church. In all the nineteen centuries, there could be found no bolder challenge to Christian enlightenment.

A SPECIAL circular from the Interior Department instructs the census-takers to be especially careful in enumerating, at their schools or colleges, all children and youth absent, for educational purposes, from their own homes on the 1st of June and temporarily domesticated in another family at the seat of education. The instruction is important, in view of the very large number of youth, in all the States, included in the category as stated.

WE CONGRATULATE our Republican friends in Beaver county upon the success which is likely to attend their efforts to compose the differences which have heretofore weakened their local position as a party. In their nominations, the proceedings of their Convention, and in the constitution of their Executive Committee, we perceive the sincerity of the general desire that Republicanism in that county should hereafter present an united and effective front. The man who first moves to disturb the understanding is a pestilent fellow, who should be abated as a public nuisance.

THE Pittsburgh *Post* forgets its usual candor when it seems inclined to misstate the legitimate constructions of our defense of the tariff system as an American institution. Our neighbor knows well that we have no sympathy for any doctrines which would proscribe any avowed citizen of whatever race, color, condition or nationality of birth. It is enough for us that all are citizens, whether by birth or choice, and, as citizens, composing our American nationality, we shall uphold their common interests against the special policies of every other people on the globe. In that sense, we insist that the Republic shall be Americanized, and not on the narrower basis which the *Post* seems too ready to accept for us. If the *Post* says correctly that "the black man's party is becoming defiant," would it not be because the "alliance" is declined which, only the other day, that journal most cordially proffered?

THE reduction of over fourteen millions in the public debt during May, and the almost equally large abatement which is expected in June, are to be largely attributed to the heavy receipts of internal revenue, on account of income and special taxes and licenses. We observe one of our Republican cotemporaries, which loses no other opportunity to assail the tax upon incomes, forgets itself so far now in its just exultation over this fulfilment of Republican pledges, as to ask: "Which is best, to honestly pay the tax in this style, or repudiate it, to the everlasting shame of our children and our children's children?" We like such talk as that a good deal better than if, instead, the occasion had been held to justify only a sharp assault upon the policy of the administration and of the people, in one of its most important details. For the truer deduction, we have perhaps to thank the Convention of the Ohio Democracy, whose platform seems to have convinced our cotemporary that there is no half-way halting place between that policy, as it is now commended by this gratifying experience, and the partizan extreme of Democratic dishonesty.

DEMOCRACY in the Southern States is discovered to be as unregenerate as ever. A late experience at Richmond may be accepted as pregnant with instruction for their Northern friends who insist upon an immediate and sweeping amnesty for past political crimes. The municipal election in that city resulted in a clear majority for the Republican ticket. The Commissioners, with whom lay the duty of summing up the returns, happen to be all Democrats. Beaten at the polls, what was more natural or easy for Democratic officers than to ignore the popular choice, proceeding coolly to elect their own favorites by the familiar method of doctoring the ballots. But even a Democrat won't stand too much of that sort of thing in Virginia, and the *Whig*, an able journal of the opposition, protests against these illegal proceedings, denouncing them as without a shadow of authority. The minority ticket thus electioneered into place is declared "not to be worth the paper it is written on, and should be universally repudiated." We commend the honest candor of this Virginia Democrat, as an example for the Democracy of our Somerset, or Westmoreland, or Philadelphia districts.

RELIGIOUS INTELLIGENCE.

The late Convention of the Episcopal Diocese of Pennsylvania, at Philadelphia, under the Presidency of Bishop Stevens, possesses interest to many of our readers, in view of the Pittsburgh Diocese once being a part of the Diocese covering the entire State. The growth of Episcopalianism in this State of late years, required the division of the Church into three dioceses, and steps were taken at the Philadelphia Convention to make another diocese of the work in the eastern part of Pennsylvania. In Bishop Stevens' annual address, he gives numerous reasons for a division of the diocese, in which he described the exhausting nature of the work, as not arising from travel or from ministrations, but from enormous correspondence, settlement of parochical and other official duties, immense office work, supervision of societies, memberships in corporations, &c., all of which are unalleviated by any system of Deanries, Arch deaconries, as in England. The Bishop favored, and would give his assent, to any line voted by Convention, provided it was not within the Five County Line. The Convention finally took action, fixing the new diocese five counties around Philadelphia. From the Bishop's address, the Mission work of the Diocese is very encouraging; eighteen new stations have been adopted, in ten of which Churches have been begun. The Committee on Episcopal Residence reported that $37,612.29 had been expended, and that in a few days the whole will have been paid.

Very soon the season for holding camp meetings by the Methodists will be at hand, and we observe with pleasure that the trustees in charge of some of the leading groves in the East have resolved not to allow persons to enter the grounds from Saturday evening until Monday morning. By this means the desecration of the Sabbath will be avoided, and a strong reason against holding these meetings will be removed.

It is estimated that the accessions to the Cumberland Presbyterian Church during the past six months, have been fifty-five hundred.

The *Jewish Chronicle* urges the concurrence of the Jews in a revision of the Bible.

Recent statistics show, estimating the population of New York city this year at one million, with four hundred and seventy churches, that the average to inhabitants is 1 to 2,127. In 1860, it was 1 to 2,714. There are accommodations in places of worship for 350,000 persons. In the Protestant houses for religious services, there are sittings for 250,000 persons.

The efforts of the Northern Baptists to open up fraternal relations with the Southern members of that denomination, failed at the late Convention of the Southern Baptists at Louisville. The matter was discussed and then referred to a committee, who subsequently reported advising the dismissal of the whole question, and *a resolution to that effect was unanimously passed.*

The location of the Otterbein University, under the care of the United Brethren, is causing considerable discussion in that body. The old argument that a small town is preferable for the morals of the students, is urged, while the *Religious Telescope* says the argument is worthless, and that not a decent college in the country is buried in a small village.

The Kansas Episcopal Diocesan Convention, placed two ladies and six gentlemen on the board of examiners of the Diocesan Seminary, being the first instance in this country in which women have been elected to a diocesan office.

Among the accessions to the Congregational Church at Belle Plain, Iowa, was a man passed middle age, who ascribed his conversion to impressions made by the daily sight of the new church while being built. It seems he had contributed generously toward its erection.

The noted Unitarian preacher in Chicago, Rev. Robt. Collyer, stated at the late Unitarian Conference in that city, that a conference and prayer meeting had been established, which generally consisted of himself and two or three others. But their young people have a fraternity numbering from one hundred and fifty to two hundred, which give dramatic entertainments, and the young folks take to theatre better than to the prayer meeting.

The *Advance* notes, which it styles an unusual occurrence of a Catholic priest and one hundred and seventy of his congregation, petitioning for the suppression of liquor selling, at Colchester, Conn., the other day. It thinks the Catholic priests could carry a prohibition law in every State in the land if they chose.

Cincinnati evidently regards the gathering of orderly persons to hear preaching at public places as an unsafe proceeding, and therefore, the authorities will not allow out-door preaching in its parks this year. An exchange says there is no prohibition on smoking and swearing.

The receipts of the Ministerial Relief Fund to the Presbyterian General Assembly, for the past year, show a total of nearly thirty-nine thousand dollars, being eighty per cent. in advance of the previous year's contributions, chiefly because of the munificence of the late John C. Baldwin, of New Jersey, who gave twenty-five thousand dollars to this excellent fund.

The *Christian Intelligencer* represents that among the recent converts in the Baptist church, at Stockton, California, are a man and his wife, both deaf mutes, who, though they had never heard a sermon, yet wrote out excellent statements of the reasons and ground of their hopes.

Arrangements are in progress for holding an Ohio State Camp Meeting, Methodist Episcopal Church, near Alliance, Ohio, for the special purpose of promoting Christian holiness, commencing August 16th, and to continue ten days. It is expected to be the largest gathering of religious people ever held in the great State of Ohio. Persons of other denominations sympathizing with the object, namely, Christian holiness, are expected to unite with the Methodists in promoting the work.

The memory of the late excellent and devoted Bishop Kemper, of Wisconsin, who recently died in his eightieth year, is "like ointment poured forth." His eminent services will long make his name fragrant in the hearts of the good and virtuous. In a brief notice of this divine we learn that in 1811 he entered the ministry at Philadelphia and became an assistant with Bishop White, in Christ Church, in that city. Afterwards he was assigned to the agency of the Society for the Advancement of Christianity, the duties of which required him to travel a good deal in Pennsylvania. While in this city he heard that isolated communities of Episcopalians in Ohio, needed the ministrations of a clergyman, and he sought them out. It is thought he was the first Episcopalian minister who ever preached west of the Alleghenies. Thirty-five years ago he was made Missionary Bishop of the North-western States and Territories.

Rev. F. A. Noble, of the Third Presbyterian church of this city, has consented to deliver the annual address before the Society of Inquiry, of Marietta College, at the coming Commencement.

The Congregationalists are adopting the principle that a deacon may be voted out of his office by the same power that voted him in whenever a change is regarded desirable for the good of the congregation.

Petroleum Items.

The famous Armstrong Run well, near Brady's Bend, has settled down to about thirty barrels daily, and this is an increase over the daily production two weeks since, or before the tools and rope were withdrawn.

The McMair well on the Snedeker tract, near Fagundas City, West Hickory, will be down about the 6th instant. As this will prove the value of certain tracts in that section, and give a new impetus to developments, the result is anxiously awaited by operators from all sections.

The new well at Reno is reported as producing steadily at the rate of one hundred and forty barrels per day up to yesterday.

The production of the Parker's Landing district has been increased materially during the past two weeks by the striking of several new wells, among which are the Henry Run well now doing about seventy barrels daily, the "Chance Shot" well doing about seventy-five barrels, and the "Hidden" well reported at one hundred and fifty barrels per day. These wells are all beyond the line of any strikes previously reported, and prove that the western limit of producing territory has not been ascertained.

The new well on the Story farm, struck on the 29th inst., is doing about ten barrels daily.

The islands in the Allegheny River, between Franklin and Brady's Bend, have all been pretty thoroughly developed, and paying wells in many cases found. Several new rigs are going up in the vicinity of Parker's on Island territory.

How a Son of Eve Bruised the Serpents Head Wholesale.

The Detroit *Free Press*, of May 31, tells the following snake story: "Yesterday noon, at the City Hall Market, seeing a farmer endeavoring to find a purchaser for the skin of a monster black snake, the sight of which gathered a crowd, our reporter was led to make some inquiries into the circumstances connected with his snakeship's capture. The skin was brought in here by Mr. E. K. Snow, a farmer, residing about four miles west of Dearborn, and was obtained about the 25th inst. On the 26th inst., Mr. Snow missed a calf about 2 months old, which had been confined in a pen near the barn. The animal had passed out and gone to the woods, after the cattle. All the stock came home after sun-down, but the calf failed to appear. The next morning Snow and one of his sons took a tramp through the woods after the missing calf, but failed to find it. The two boys, next day, continued the hunt, going all over the farm and woods, but no trace of the calf was found. On the 25th, Snow took his oxen and proceeded to the woods for the purpose of hauling up the pans and other utensils used in the bush last spring to manufacture maple sugar. On returning, the team was guided a shorter route, along an old road between the two farms, in order to avoid crossing the growing crops. Just after crossing a little creek, Snow's olfactories were greeted with a sickening stench, and the oxen snuffed the air a time or two and set off on a run, pans and buckets flying over the ground. Snow looked around for the cause of the stench, believing that it had something to do with the loss of his calf. Following up the little brook about thirty feet, to higher ground, Snow found a "dip" in the soil, just under a rocky bank, with a little grassy peninsula jutting out until it made a bend around which the creek flowed, forming a sunny, secure spot. In the center of this spot was the decaying body of the calf, and over it, around it, and crawling in every direction, were big snakes, little snakes, old snakes and young, until, as Young American has it, Snow 'couldn't rest.' He saw snakes crawling toward the brook, others coming back, others coming out and going into the holes in the ledges below him—and there was an odor arising from the whole that fairly made the air blue. Near the body of the calf were a dozen big snakes knotted together, hissing and striking their ugly heads together until one's flesh chilled to behold them. Snow counted full fifty large black snakes, looked upon the sight as long as his nostrils would permit, and then started home for means of revenge. He got several old barrels, filled them with straw, cobs, and light wood, with a dozen bundles of straw to spare, and then returned to the 'roost.' The snakes were as thick as ever, and, as they heard and saw the preparations making above them, they hissed and raised their heads with double venom. One of the boys took straw and a barrel around to the opening, and the father and the other son, at a proper time sent down their fire works from the sides of the banks. The fire went off like Fourth of July, making a noise that prevented hearing any disparaging remarks from the reptiles, and in about half an hour the farmer descended to find the ground covered with the half consumed remains of thirty or forty reptiles, while a large number had saved themselves by getting into the banks. The skin exhibited at the market was that of a seven footer, who tried to escape across the creek and was killed by the boy. A spot was found where the calf, in trying to work around a fallen tree, had fallen off the bank, probably being badly injured in the operation, and the reptiles might not have had anything to do with its death.

A Fresh Water Grace Darling.

The Detroit *Free Press* of the 30th says: "About eight o'clock Friday evening, as a woman named Sarah Flinn, who resides on Seventeenth street, near the river road, was passing Clark's dry dock, she heard screams in the direction of the water. Mrs. Flinn is a poor, unlettered woman, who works at the washtub for a living, and had been to carry some clothes to a soldier at the Fort. She did not hesitate a moment about turning down through the timbers of the darkand deserted yard, reaching the edge of the river in a very few minutes. From the edge of the dock she saw forms struggling in the water, about thirty feet from shore, and heard voices crying for help. There was a vessel lying near, but the sailors commenced a song, and did not, therefore, catch the screams of the persons in the water, or of the woman on the shore. Mrs. Flinn saw that the boys, for such they were, were floating down, clinging to a capsized skiff, and she ran up and down looking for a boat. Finding none, she jumped down from the wharf, upon a piece of sling timber, seized a board, and gave her craft a strong push into the stream. Getting into the current she found that she must sit down or go over, and she sat down, the water almost floating her off her perch. She neared the boys rapidly, cheering them through the gloom to hold on, and her beam finally bumped against the inverted skiff. The trio were then just below the Sandwich ferry landing, and well out, having floated out ten or fifteen rods. As she could get no wetter, Mrs. Flinn landed into the water to seize hold of the boat, making the lads get securer holds, and in a manner almost unknown to her, for she cannot swim, having never visited Long Branch, the gallant woman pushed the boat into the bank and took the lads off. The boys were named, respectively, Charles Mash and Henry Foster, and their parents reside near each other on Fourteenth street, near Lafayette. Neither were thirteen years old, and they had that afternoon run away from home, stolen a boat from a slip behind a tannery on the River road, and paddled away down the river. They had been a long time in getting back, and in attempting to land at the dry dock had run the boat on to a submerged log and overturned it. Both were chilled through when rescued, and would probably have perished but for this brave Mrs. Flinn."

One of Mrs. Stowe's Victims--A Poor Wretch Driven to Suicide.

The Pall Mall *Gazette* says: Paul Harro-Harring, a Danish political exile, committed suicide at Jersey, on Sunday morning, by poisoning himself with phosphorus taken off the ends of lucifer matches. He had also stabbed himself in the left breast with a stiletto. He had been a great political agitator, and had been banished from France and Russia for being mixed up in revolutionary movements. He had for years past labored under the hallucination that he was the special object of the hatred of the Russian Government, who had police agents and spies continually about him. He gave constant trouble to the police by his complaints on this score, seeking for protection from his imaginary foes. He was a friend of Lord Byron, and fought with him in the war of Greek independence. On reading Mrs. Harriet Beecher Stowe's book he became greatly excited, and his malady was considerably increased. He was in the receipt of a small allowance made by private friends, among whom was Mazzini, from whom he received one pound per month. He was seventy one years of age.

Murder for Fun--A Simple Colored Boy Poisoned in Sport.

The Salisbury (Maryland) *Eastern Shoreman* of Saturday says: A colored youth, known as Jack Crow, was found dead at the Wicomico House a few mornings since under circumstances that give rise to suspicion of foul play. The said colored individual had recently come from the country and was taken in and cared for by Mr. Brohawn, of the Wicomico. Jack's mental capacity was very much inferior to that of ordinary humanity, and for this reason he was made the object of sport by the boys and young men of the town. Among other eccentricities he possessed an insatiate appetite, and would swallow almost anything given him. The day previous to his demise some young men, and we say it to their shame, were seen endeavoring to appease his longing for food by giving him pills, fly poison and other nauseous compounds, from which cause it is supposed death resulted. This is the rumor, but we cannot vouch for its correctness, as no *post mortem* examination of the body has yet been held.

THE Philadelphia *Ledger* says: A suit of some interest has been commenced, and is now on trial in the District Court, involving the rights of passengers on ocean steamers. The plaintiff brings his action against the Anchor Line of transatlantic packet ships of New York. He alleges that after purchasing a ticket with a state-room, he found two other claimants to the same room, and was finally ousted from his quarters, notwithstanding his protest. Another room was assigned him, but it was so objectionable that he was compelled to remain in the general cabin during the voyage. The case is still on trial.

CATERPILLARS are eating the fruit that the people of Illinois had expected to have for their own use.

GENERALITIES.

SCHAMYL is living at Mecca.

CARLYLE is coming to America.

HARD to beat—carpets.—[Com. Bul.

A FAT women's picnic is on the tapis.

THERE is not a Protestant church in Cuba.

QUEEN VICTORIA is seventeen grandmothers.

THE London street cars are purchased in America.

INDIGO is being successfully raised in the Sandwich Islands.

HAYDOCK, the pedestrian, has been arrested for picking pockets, in Lowell.

THE crops in Missouri are unusually good this year, especially the rattlesnake crop.

RUMOR says Wendell Phillips thinks of going to Congress as Mr. Twichell's successor.

THE City of Paris is the largest ferry-boat between New York and Europe. She is 416 feet long.

A SON of the Siamese twins is living at Sacramento. He is available as a candidate for the Presidency.

AN alligator more than a yard long spread panic among the cockney bathers in the Thames the other day.

THE New York *Express* thinks newspapers sleepy just now—they are continually getting *morphine* in news.

TWO young women turned out with spades and hoes and paid their road tax in the town of Beloit, the other day.

RUMOR again will marry the British widowed Queen. This time to a prince of the house of Schleswig Holstein.

A MISSOURI drover has hogs so fat that to find out where their heads are it is necessary to beat them and judge by the squeal.

MR. JEROME BONAPARTE whose obituary was published in Several Philadelphia papers on Monday, is in Baltimore and convalescent.

MR. D'ISRAELI is said to be so aristocratic as never to have allowed a character to appear in his novels who possessed less than $50,000 a year.

THE Khedive finds it hard to manage his foreign generals. One of them, from Kentucky, punched the head of his Minister of War, the other day.

TWO rival undertakers in Pittsfield fought so fiercely at a funeral, a few days ago, that they nearly furnished the corpses for each other's funerals.

ON May 9th the registry of Americans in Paris contained the names of Messrs. T. D. Blair and G. D. Blair, of this city, and Miss Watts, of Carlisle.

A COMPANY of colored citzens at Indianapolis has organized for the purpose of building a colored hotel, to which no white persons will be admitted.

A HOSPITAL for sick Russian sailors and pilgrims, on their way to Jerusalem, has just been established at Constantinople, under the auspices of the Czar.

REV. WILLIAM PINKNEY has been elected Assistant Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of Maryland, of which Bishop Whittingham is Bishop.

RECENTLY, at Sunderland, England, a little girl was blown from the quay, alighting in the muddy bed of the river, twenty feet below, but sustaining no injury.

THE Lafayette coal miners, who have been on a strike since the first of April, will resume work on the first of June, having accepted the terms offered by the owners.

A LOUISVILLE woman quarrelled with her lover and tried to shoot him, a few days ago, but missed him and killed an innocent man. She is said to regret the accident.

MR. CLIFFORD S. WHITE was thrown from his carriage in Germantown, on Monday, crushing his skull so as to cause death. Mr. White was admitted to the bar in May.

A NASHVILLE merchant received a box of young pole-cats by express, and immediately dispatched the pets to a rival house. They are now going the rounds down there.

THE father of a hopeful youth in Nashville has compelled the faro-banks there to disgorge the losses of his boy. From one of them he recovered $250 and another refunded $150.

CICERO W. RAY, a printer, working in the *Pioneer* office, at St. Paul, fell out of a three-story window of that office on Saturday night, and was found dead on the pavement next morning. He was intoxicated.

NEW ALBANY was the scene of a recent pugilistic encounter between two women, in which the husband of one looked on and offered encouragement in this wise: "Lick her, Betsey; you're my wife, if you don't, I'll lick you."

WOOLEN MILLS are about to be established at Stockton, San Jose, Napa and Vallejo, in California. In the same State a beet sugar factory is to be started at Alvarado, to cost $75,000, with a crushing capacity of forty tons per day.

A NEGRO tried to saw his own head off with a jack-knife in a church on a Sunday morning, at Madison, in Georgia. Being interrupted by some of the congregation, he said he was "driven to the act by the inordinate length of the sermon."

REPORTS from Plaquemine Parish, La., say the rice crop this year will not reach 60,000 barrels of rough rice; the demand is active, the stock on hand is about 3,000 barrels. The crop, owing to the cold weather, has put back the sowing of rice.

MRS. WISTAR, whose translations from the German have made her name famous, on account of their elegance of execution as well as the taste shown in selection, has translated from the French a volume of selections from the works of A. de Musset.

AN advertisement was sent to the Cleveland *Herald* office on Sunday night, in which occur the words, "The Christian's Dream: No Cross, No Crown." The blundering compositor made it read—"The Christian's Dream: *No Coos, No Cream!*"

A SCHOOL HOUSE was recently burned in Buchanan county, Missouri, and Walter Hanson has been arrested for doing it. He was a teacher in the building twelve years ago, but, being turned out, he is supposed to have nursed his revenge all that time.

THE Canadians may be pardoned for their recent alarm. When it is remembered that they have constantly before them the dreadful example of New York and what it has come to under Fenian rule, and a scarcely better fate was threatening the Dominion.

It is reported that the Pennsylvania Central railroad have made a proposition to the people of Wayland, Michigan, and other towns between that point and Sagi, naw, to assist in building a railroad to connect with the Grand River and Ionia railroad, at Wayland.

THE gray trotter which created a sensation a few weeks since by beating Dexter on Harlem road, was raised by James McGarvey, of Mercer county, Ky. He is a small horse, 14¾ hands high, and powerfully formed through the shoulders, indicating great endurance with rapid motion.

A PARIS sergeant de ville arrested a prisoner in his own house, but he banged a door in the official's face, and fled down the stairs. The sergeant, not to be foiled, mounted astride the bannister, and slid, long sword, cocked hat and all, reaching the landing as soon as his captive and securing him.

GEN. SYLVANUS THAYER has promised to give the town of Braintree, Mass., $10,000 for a public library, if the citizens will appropriate an equal amount; and he moreover offers to lend the town its proportion at 6 per cent. and to give $10,000 more for the maintenance of the library when established.

ON Monday morning a dog pulled the dead body of a new born infant from out a hole in the basement of Wesley Chapel, in Columbus. The dog was tearing his prey when discovered by a passing woman. There was no clothing of any sort, and as yet nothing has been found out concerning the parents of the babe.

A MAN named Elijah Monsell, of Monson, Mass., recently caught the small-pox, and, ignorant of the fact, spread the disease in his family. His wife, mother and two children died from the effects within two weeks, and he, left alone, the sole occupant of his once happy home, became despondent and was driven to suicide.

DR. THOS. SMITH, of Charleston, S. C., was deprived of the power of speech, about three month ago, by a paralytic stroke; but, "with characteristic energy and determination, he commenced immediately to train his vocal organs as if he were a child learning for the first time to speak, and, by dint of persevering effort, he is now able to express himself intelligibly in private.

BEFORE July 1 only six mines will be producing copper in all the Lake Superior region, viz.: The Quincy, Hecla and Calumet, in the Houghton district, and Phœnix, Copper Falls and Cliff, in the Keweenaw district. A gentleman has just gone up to close the Pewabic and Franklin, and the South Pewabic will undoubtedly soon follow. Every mine in the Ontonagon district has already stopped. Over production is said to be the cause of the trouble.

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THE DAILY GAZETTE.

MONEY AND COMMERCE.

[By Telegraph to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

NEW YORK, June 3, 1870.

Money easy at 3@5 per cent. Sterling Exchange quiet and firm at 9½@¾; Gold steady; opened at 111¾, touched 111⅝@111¾, and closed at 111¾@111⅝. Carrying rates 1½@5 per cent. Clearances, $23,000,000. Engagements for export to-morrow, $700,000.

Governments active and higher on the proposition in the House to tax them. Coupons: '51, 1864's, do '62, 12¾@12⅝; do '64, 11¾@11⅝; do '65, 11¾@11⅝; do new, 11¾@11⅝; do '67, 11⅞@11¾; do '68, 11¾@11¾. Ten-Forties, 89@89⅜. Currency Sixes, 123½@13⅝.

State Securities quiet and steady: Missouris, 94; old Tennessees, 61½; new, 58; old North Carolinas, 48⅜; new, 25.

Stocks very strong, closing at about the highest price of to-day.

Canton, 69; Cumberland, 40; Western Union Telegraph, 31¾; Quicksilver, 7; Mariposa, 7¾; do preferred, 16¾; Adams Express, 69½; Wells, 15½; American, 44; United States, 45¾; Pacific Mail, 44½; New York Central, 101½; Reading, 96¾; do preferred, 48; Harlem, 143½; Reading, 109¾; Michigan Central, 125; Lake Shore, 98½; Illinois Central, 139; Pittsburgh, 106½; Northwestern, 84¾; do preferred, 91; Fort Wayne, 121½; New Jersey Central, 110; St. Paul, 66½; do preferred, 81¾; Wabash, 48¾; do preferred, 72; Fort Wayne, 93¾; Terre Haute, 35; do preferred, 59; Chicago & Alton, 118; do preferred, 118¾; Ohio & Mississippi, 41½; Hartford & Erie, 8; Boston, Hoosac, 118¾; do preferred, 117½; C. C. & C., 81½.

Boston prices: Calumet, 69; Copper falls 43½; Franklin, 28; Hecla, 340; Tamarack, 185.

Sub-Treasury balances: Gold, $76,177,581; Currency $7,148,575; General balance, $87,575,811.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, FRIDAY, June 3, 1870.

Closing quotations as received by Ph. R. Mertz:

Gold	111¾	American	44
Silver	111	Western Union	31¾
1881 Bonds	117½	N. Y. Central	101¼
5-20 Bonds 1862	111¾	Reading	109
5-20 Bonds 1864	111¾	P. Ft. W. & C	93½
5-20 Bonds 1865	111¾	Ohio & Miss	41¾
Consols 1868	111¾	Mich. Southern	99½
5-20 Bonds 1867	111¾	Cleveland & P	109
5-20 Bonds 1868	111	C. R. I. & P.	91¾
10-40	108¾	Chicago & N. W	83¾
Adams Express	69¾	C. & N. W. Pref.	91
Merchants U. Ex.	23½	Erie	23½

	Long.	Sh'rt.
London Exchange per pound	80	85.90
Paris Exchange per Franc	22½	25
Berlin Exchange per Thaler	82½	85
Frankfort Exchange per Florin	84	85

Closing quotations as received by James T. Brady & Co:

Gold	111¾	5-20 Jan. & Jy., 1865	111¾
U. S. 6s, 1881	117½	5-20 Jan. & Jy., 1867	111¾
U. S. 5-20 1862	12¾	5-20 Jan. & Jy. 1868	111¾
U. S. 5-20 1864	111¾	U. P. R. R.	87½
U. S. 5-20 1865	111¾	Cen. Pacific	93¾
U. S. 10-40	88	Cy. Pacifics	13¾

PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, FRIDAY, June 3, 1870.

The oil market continues dull and depressed, and while there is no material change in prices, the feeling is weak, and the tendency downward. While the demand at present prices is only moderate, the offerings are light, particularly of refined, and as has been the case for weeks and even months, the volume of business is very light. Hopes are still entertained of an early improvement but the indications are no better than they have been.

As already intimated the market is weak and dull though unchanged. Spot or seller this month may be quoted at 12¾@12¾; July or August 12¾@12¾; July or August to December, 12½@12¾.

RIVERS.

Market dull, as usual, and weak, and drooping. June, 2½@3¾ bid and asked; July sold at 2¾; August, 2½; July to September offered at 2¾; and of STOCKS, BONDS and GOLD.

RECEIPTS CRUDE OIL.

F. A. Bates 912, on account O. C. & A. R. R; Fisher Bro 456, on account O. C. & A. R. R; Steel-la Oil Works 520, on account T. J. Lecky; Warning, K & Co 430, T. J. Lecky; Tack Bro 480, D. C. Herbst; Fisher Bro 324, on account J. W. Young; H. W. Crossdale 90, on account T. Chess.

Total ..... 2,808 bbls.

OIL SHIPMENTS PER A. V. R. R.

Livingston Bro., 60 bbls ref oil to Warden, F. & Co., Phila.

Lockhart, Frew & Co., 265 bbls refined oil to Warden, Frew & Co., Philadelphia.

National Refining Co., 200 bbls ref. oil to Warden, F. & Co., Phila.

Citizens' Oil Co., 258 bbls refined to Tack Bro., Philadelphia.

Braun & Wagner 400 bbls refined oil to Waring, King & Co., Philadelphia.

Total ..... 1,203 bbls.

OIL SHIPPED BY W. P. R. R.

Meutzer, H. & Co., 376 bbls ref. to Waring, K & Co., Phila.

Ralston & Waring, 151 bbls ref. oil to Waring, K. & Co., Phila.

Ralston & Waring, 316 bbls refined to Tack Bros. & Co., Phila.

Kirkpatrick & Lyon, 573 bbls refined to Logan Bros. & Co., Phila.

Total ..... 1,416 bbls.

PITTSBURGH IRON MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, FRIDAY, June 3, 1870.

Notwithstanding the sales of metal in the aggregate were comparatively light, unusually so, we might say, the market is steady and feeling rather better than it has been. The majority of the mills it is thought will keep steadily in motion until the 1st of July, the demand for crude iron is mainly restricted to small lots as manufacturers do not seem inclined to carry any more stock than they can avoid. The stock in yard, however, is pretty well reduced, and the receipts have been for some time past not to continue light. Following is the report of sales for the week.

ANTHRACITE.

100 tons Gray Neutral Forge	$31.75 4 mos
50 " No. 1 Foundry	35.50 4 mos
50 " No. 2 "	35.00 4 mos
50 " No. 3 "	34.00 4 mos
100 " No. 3 Neutral	32.00 6 mos
50 " No. 2 "	31.50 6 mos
50 " White "	37.00 6 mos
200 " No. 2 Red Short	32.00 6 mos
10 " No. 1 Foundry	36.00 4 mos
10 " No. 2 "	35.00 4 mos
10 " No. 1 "	36.00 4 mos

BITUMINOUS COAL SMELTED FROM LAKE SUPERIOR ORE.

100 tons Medium Gray Forge	$31.50 4 mos
50 " " "	31.50 4 mos
100 " " "	30.00 cash
100 " " "	31.50 4 mos
160 " Gray Forge	32.00 4 mos
60 " "	33.00 4 mos
50 " "	32.00 4 mos
20 " "	33.00 4 mos
50 " "	32.00 4 mos
50 " "	32.00 5 mos
50 " "	32.00 6 mos

IRON AND NAIL MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, FRIDAY, June 3, 1870.

Flat bar iron	3½@3¾
Round and square	3¾@3¾
Horse shoe	5
Hoops and light band	4½@5
Oval	3¾@4
Half oval and half round do	4@5
Sheet iron	4¾@5¾
Sheets over 28 inch wide	¼c per lb extra.

ABATEMENT.

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Iron	tinned per keg, $12 00
Copper	all sizes per lb, 45c

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PITTSBURGH MARKET.

OFFICE OF PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, FRIDAY, June 3, 1870.

Our general markets are quiet and devoid of anything new or important. There is some little excitement in sugars under the influence of the advices from the east together with the fact that there is every appearance of a big fruit crop, and as might be expected, the demand has materially improved within the past week. The grain trade continues very dull, but it is hoped that there will soon be a reaction, and that business will again improve, though it can hardly be expected that there will be any material advance in prices.

A late Chicago paper says: "There is a better prospect now that our accumulations of wheat will go forward, as the margins against the shipper is smaller now than for some time past. High prices are very good things for holders, but it is not well to run up prices so high that people cannot afford to buy. It is much to be desired that Chicago and New York would run a little more closely together in prices. Our grain ought to be moved out, so as to make room for the winter accumulation."

APPLES—Market almost bare; may be quoted at $2@3 for fair to choice.

BUTTER—Is quiet and unchanged with a supply fully equal to the demand. We continue to quote at 20@22c for choice roll.

BROOM CORN—Demand very slow; prices nominally unchanged, 12 to 16c.

BEANS—Market is dull; Navy, $5.50; No. 1, $4.50; No. 2, $4; No. 3, $3.50; common, $2.50@3.

BEANS—Dull but nominally unchanged, $1.50@1.75 per bushel.

CHEESE—The arrivals from Ohio have been unusually large within the past few days, and the market is fully supplied. Ohio Goshen quoted at 15c; Ohio Factory, 13@14c; New York Goshen, 17.

CARBON OIL—Is dull but firm, and cannot fairly be quoted at over 23c for prime.

CORNMEAL—Demand light and prices unchanged, 95@1 per bushel.

CANDLES—Mould, 15c; Star, 20c; Stearin, 18@19c.

STARCH—Pearl, 6½c; Statin Gloss and Silver Gloss, 11½c; Corn, 12.

RICE—Carolina, 9c; Rangoon, 8¾.

SODA—No. 1 Marketed, 6½@7c per lbs; No. 2 large, $17; No. 3 large, $14½; No. 3 medium, $11; in half bbls 50 cts additional. In kitts—No. 1, 8c; No. 2, 7½c; No. 3, 6½c. Lake Herring, $4.50; White Fish, $8½. Baltimore Herring, 8½. Codfish, 5 cts per pound.

HAY—Continues very dull, and prices are weak and drooping; sales from country timothy, at $20@26, and baled on wharf, at $22@24.

HEMP—Sales of undressed Kentucky Hemp at $9@9½.

HUSKS—Corn husks, 3@3½ cts.

LARD OIL—Is drooping; we now quote at $1.30@1.35, for Extra No. 1, the outside figure for well known western brands.

LIME—Sales of Cleveland at $2.25 per bbl, and eastern at $1.25.

PROVISIONS—Market steady with a fair jobbing trade. We quote as follows: Sugar cured hams, 13½; Ribbed Sides, 10½; Short Clear, 10½; Shoulders, 8½; Sugar cured Hams, 20c; Breakfast Bacon, 18, plain, and 19, Canvassed; Lard, 15@15½, in tierces; and 16@16½ in kegs and packages. Mess Pork, $20. Dried Beef, higher, 21c, Canvassed.

PEANUTS—Dull. Tennessee, $3@3 cts.

PEARL BARLEY—No. 4, $4½ per lb; No. 3, $5; No. 2, $5.50; No. 1, $6. Split Peas, $7 per bbl; of 200 lbs, $16; for half bbl, 100 lbs, $8.50.

POTATOES—Prime Peach Blows are scarce and in demand with small supplies, at 45@50, but common and inferior are not wanted at any price.

SEEDS—Flaxseed is in steady demand, at $2.30. No demand for Clover or Timothy Seeds.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

New York.

NEW YORK, June 3.—Cotton dull and heavy, with sales of 1,460 bales at 22½@22¾c for middling uplands. Flour—receipts 1,625 bbls—flour 50@10c better, with fair export and home trade demand; sales 10,000 bbls at $4.85@5.00 for superfine State and western, $5.20@5.35 for extra do, $5.40@5.90 for good to choice do, $5.50@6.10 for extra Ohio, and $5.50@9.00 for common to choice extra St. Louis. Rye flour and corn meal unchanged. Whisky firm, with sales of 400 bbls at $1.08@1.09; chiefly at $1.08¾. Receipts of wheat, 29,325 bushels; wheat 1@2c better, with a fair export and home demand; sales 225,000 bush at $1.16@1.34 for rejected, and No. 3 spring at $1.18@1.21, No. 2 spring, $1.22@1.25; No. 1 spring, $1.25@1.27 for fourth-winter, $1.26@1.24 for No. 2 Milwaukee, $1.3@1.31 for No. 1 Milwaukee, $1.32@1.35 for winter red western, $1.40@1.50 for very choice white Genesee. Rye quiet. Barley nominal. Corn—receipts 109,000 and fairly active and 2@3c better; sales 62,000 bush at $1.07@1.09 for new mixed West, $1.06@1.12 for old do, $1.09@1.10 for western yellow, $1.15 for prime white western. Oats are firmer; receipts 14,575, sales 9,000 bush at 85@86c for western, 87@88c for Ohio and State. Hay steady. Hops steady and unchanged. Coffee more active; 600 bags Ceylon 15½c; 200 bags Rio on private terms; 2,000 bags Rio on terms not made public. Sugar active; 150 hhds Cuba 9½@10c; 800 bxs Havana, 12c; firm 8⅝@9c. Petroleum quiet; 15c for crude, and 27¾c refined. Turpentine quiet at 43½c. Rosin quiet and firm at $2.10@2.15. Pork quiet; $22.00@22.25 prime; $26.00@26.50 prime mess; also 250 barrels mess, July and August, $29.15@29.50. Beef quiet and steady; 100 barrels at $11@15 for plain mess; $16@18 for extra mess; beef hams quiet, 40 barrels, $28@35; tierce beef steady at $8½@9.00; 77 tierces prime mess; $31 @33 00 India mess; middles quiet and unchanged. Cut meats firm; 100 packages at 12c for shoulders and 16@17½c for hams. Lard unchanged. Sales of 350 tierces at 15¾@16c for steam and 16@16¼c for kettle. Butter dull at 16@25c for western. Cheese dull at 13@15c.

Later.—Flour closed very firm with a fair export and home trade demand. Wheat fairly active at $1.21 for No. 2 Chicago, $1.23@1.24 for No. 2 Milwaukee, $1.31 for No. 1 Milwaukee, and $1.38 in store for winter red and western. Rye nominal. Corn very firm at 64@66c for western and 65@66c for Ohio. Corn steady at $1.08 for good new mixed western. Pork firm; new mess held at $30.50, buyers offering $28.25@28.75. Beef quiet and unchanged. Cut Meats steady with fair demand. Bran dull. Lard quiet at 16c for prime steam. Eggs firm at 13@13½c.

New York Live Stock Market.

NEW YORK, June 3.—There were 41 cars of beeves to-day at Communipaw and 12 at Weehawken, or 53 in all; the drove were 1,500 head on Thursday, making 6,100 head for the week. Prices are barely sustained, strawberries, green peas and lamb hurting the sale of beef. Many of to-day's cattle were of the poorest kind of Texans, costing 5c in Chicago. They are not selling, but offers scarcely exceed 10c. Fat stock not plenty, and in fair demand. The drove of 116 Illinois stillers, 78 cwt, sold at 16 @17½c, and 80 head of Ohio, scant 7 cwt, at 17c. The market closed weak on thin stock. The stock of sheep to-day was 4,700 head, and 15,000 head for this week. Prices week 50 to 75c per cwt lower; 7½c for good, with no prime offering; quality generally poor. Trade drags on thin lots, with many left unsold at car of 77 lbs Ohio sold at 6½c; 60 of 67 lbs culls at 5c; 24 Indiana, 80 lbs, at 6½c, and 3 cars of Ohio, 82 lbs, at 7½c. A car of 48 lbs Maryland lambs sold at 12½c. Hogs continue to work up, the 12 cars of Ohio reaching 12¾@12¾c; a car of live, 185 lbs, brought 13c; market very strong; receipts this week 18,650.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, June 3.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat opened active and excited, but after the first sales declined 1@2c, and subsequently weakened and closed with sellers at 98¾c; this afternoon the market was unsettled, at 98c@98¾c. Corn opened firm, ranged at 83@86c for No. 2, and closed dull and weak at 83½c, but unchanged this afternoon. Oats sold at 56½ 57c, and closed with sellers at 49¾c. Rye is quiet at 86c for No. 2. Barley nominal. High-wines quiet, at 91@92½c for wood and iron bound. Provisions quiet and steady. Mess pork $25. Lard 15@15¼c. Dry salted shoulders 11½@12c. Short rib middles 15@15½c. Hogs active at $8.20@9 for common to choice. Cattle moderately active and 25@50c lower at $5.50@9 for choice to extra shipping. Receipts for the past 24 hours—2818 bbls flour, 161,435 bush wheat, 167,000 bush corn, 29,642 bush oats, 267 bush rye, 259 bush barley, 5615 head hogs, Shipments—2566 bbls flour; 987 bush wheat; 76,253 bush corn; 16,000 bush oats; 60 bush barley; 5466 hogs. Freights dull and easier.

Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, June 3.—Flour firm and in good demand; family $5.40@5.70. Wheat firm; held at $1.16@1.18 for No. 2 and No. 1 red winter. Corn firm, with a good demand at 90c, but holders generally asked 90@95c, and for choice white millers paid $1. Oats in better demand and 2c higher at 54@55c, the latter for choice white. Rye quiet and unchanged at 95@97c. Cotton unchanged; middling 21½c. Tobacco firm and unchanged. Whisky dull; held at $1.04 for old process, and $1.02 for patent; no sales. Provisions nominally unchanged; nothing done excepting in hams, which are in good demand at 20c, and many ask 21@22c. Dried beef in demand at 21@22c. Butter dull at 18@ 25c. Cheese 12@14c. Eggs 18@19c. Linseed oil steady at $1.10. Lard oil dull at $1.20@1.25 for refined. Sugar 8c higher, and a demand for all kinds of good. Gold 111¾. Exchange par.

Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, June 3. The Dry Goods market continues quiet and depressed enough for most classes of woolen goods. We quote Appleton and heavy Brown Sheetings at 15c; do, P Eagle, 14½c; do, Indian Head, 13½c; do, Eagle Ridge, 13c; Massachusetts, I, 13½c; Miller River, 12½c; Pequot A, 16c; Swift River Ticks, 14½c; Hamilton Regular, 22½c; Pittsfield do 20@20½c; Thorndyke, 16c; Pacific Delaines, 12½c; Indian Orchard Corset Jeans II; Real Earlston Ginghams 17; Red Cross Cambrics 8; do, high colors 9; Lanark No. 2 checks 9½c, and Massachusetts R Canton Flannels 11½c.

St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, June 3.—Tobacco firm and unchanged. Cotton nominal at 21½c. Hemp active at $1.35@1.80 for undressed. Flour quiet; fall superfine $4.00@4.25; X $4.40@4.50; XX $4.60@5.00. Wheat dull; No. 3 spring sold at 88c; No. 2 fall $1.05@1.06; No. 1 do $1.12@1.15; choice to family $1.30@1.40. Corn dull and easier though not quotably lower; mixed 37½@37¾c; white 38@38½c; sales 50,000 bush at 36@37½c. Rye quiet at 78@79c. Whisky firm at $1.06. Groceries unchanged. Provisions more doing and prices unchanged. Pork $30 for heavy. Bacon: jobbing sales of shoulders at 13½c; clear rib 16¾c; clear 17½c. Lard to-night at 15½c. Cattle fairly active at 4¾@7½c; hogs firm at 7½@8¾.

Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, June 3. Cotton dull, with sales of middling uplands at 21½c. Flour in better demand at $4.50@5.00 unchanged for any description. Bagging firm at $28. Provisions firm. Pork sold at $30. Bacon 13½@13½c. Bulk meats 12½@12¾c. Clear sides 15½c. Canvassed hams 20@20½c. Whisky $1.04@1.05. Tobacco more active; sales of 291 hhds at 5½@7¾c for fresh leaf lugs, and 8@9c for low to medium bright leaf.

Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, June 3.—Flour dull and unchanged. Wheat, western at $1.25@1.27, very lower at $1.17@1.20 for white and $1.11 for yellow. Oats very dull at 57@60c. Rye $1.15@1.20. Mess pork firm at $30. Bacon firm; clear sides 17½c, and shoulders 14c. Hams 23@22c. Lard quiet at 17½c. Whiskey dull and lower at $1.06@1.06.

Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, June 3.—Wheat increased in demand and firmer; Pennsylvania red $1.35. Rye small sales of Pennsylvania at $1.10. Corn inactive and unchanged. Corn quiet; mixed western $1.05. Oats and provisions unchanged. Petroleum: crude held at 19¼c; refined 27¾c. Whisky quiet.

Memphis.

MEMPHIS, June 3.—Cotton nominal at 21½@22c; receipts of 210 and exports of 222 bales. Flour dull, with sales of fall super at $5.75. Corn firm and inactive at $1.05. Oats dull at 60c. Hay nominally at $30@32. Bran; sales at $21. Lard nominal. Pork quiet at $40. Bacon—shoulders dull at 13½c and sides dull at 15¾ @16c.

Toledo.

TOLEDO, June 3.—Flour firm. Wheat 2@4c better; No. 2 white Wabash $1.57, No 2 white Michigan $1.48@1.49, regular do $1.38, amber Michigan, $1.23@1.24, No 1 red $1.50, No 2 do $1.34, No 3 do $1.25. Corn active and 2@3c better; No 1 42½c, No 2 9½c, yellow 96c. Oats 2c better; No 1 37c, No 2 35c.

Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, June 3.—Flour firm and quiet. There were sales of No. 1 Red winter wheat at $1.30. Sales of mixed Ohio at 90@91c. Rye sold at 93c for No. 2. Petroleum dull and unchanged.

Detroit.

DETROIT, June 3.—Wheat demand good and market firmer; extra $1.53@1.54; prime No. 1 $1.43@1.44; amber $1.21. Corn quiet at 90c for No. 1. Oats firmer at 58c for western.

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NOTICE.

To Blank Book Manufacturers.

The undersigned, Commissioners appointed in and by an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Approved the Second day of April 1870, to contract with one or more persons for the making of indexes to the Deeds and Mortgages in the office for the Recording of Deeds, &c., in the County of Allegheny, hereby give notice that Sealed Proposals for the making of said

Forty to Fifty Blank Books,

suitable for index books to the deeds and mortgages aforesaid, will be received until

WEDNESDAY, June 8, 1870.

A specimen book, showing the dimensions and method of preparing the books required, can be seen by calling upon Mr. HUNTER, at the Recorder's office.

In ruling the said books, the lines will be seventeenths of an inch apart, and the binding will be required to be of the most substantial character.

The Commissioners will award the contract to the bidder or bidders whose bid or bids will, in their judgment, be most favorable to the public interest.

The bids will be addressed, through the Postoffice, to the Commissioners, No. 68 GRANT STREET, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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Commissioners.

PITTSBURGH, May 27, 1870. my27:x27

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between

A. Ballou and W. C. Adams,

doing business under the firm name of Ballou & Adams, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. W. C. ADAMS assumes all liabilities, and all debts due the firm are to be paid to him.

A. BALDOU,
W. C. ADAMS.

MAY 16th, 1870. my28:x27

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

The partnership heretofore existing between STEPHEN G. RODGERS and J. H. McGOVERN, engaged in the outfitting and repairing of Steamboats, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.

STEPHEN G. RODGERS.
J. H. McGOVERN.

PITTSBURGH, May 31, 1870. jo2:x22

RIVER NEWS.

The river remains about stationary at this point with three feet six inches in the channel. Weather cloudy and warm, with every indication of more rain.

The Petrolia, from Wheeling arrived and departed as usual.

The Belle, Capt. J. P. Smith, is the regular packet for Brownsville and Geneva this evening leaving at 5 o'clock. She will be found at the wharf boat, above the Monongahela bridge to-day, as will also her agents, Messrs. Wm McElroy & Co.

The Grand State departed for Portsmouth with a good trip. Abrams and Morris are her pilots.

The Wauanita, Capt. J. B. Conway, is announced for St. Louis.

The Kate Putnam from Nashville, is among the first boats due.

—A Cairo correspondent says, in speaking of the J. M. White's trip made in 1844: The Dexter did a regular way business, in making thirty-two landings for freight and passengers, and still made admirable time. She ran to Baton Rouge in two hours and seventeen minutes; to Natchez in twenty-two hours and seventeen minutes; to Memphis in two days twenty-one hours and twenty-two minutes, and to Cairo in three days and twenty-two hours. If she should start out to make a fast trip without attending to any way business, she might possibly pick up the stakes set up by the J. M. White to Cairo and St. Louis. It is somewhat wonderful that thirty years has only increased the capacity, comfort and safety of steam boats, without increasing their speed.

—The Memphis *Appeal* says of the Belle Lee: She laid at Hopefield all day, discharging railroad iron, and right here the want of labor is seriously felt. The iron is what river men call "short iron," and to load at New Orleans cost eight cents per bar. To discharge it here costs twenty cents per bar. The freight up was $4.50 per ton, or a cargo of 600 tons. Time lost, three days. Expenses $800 per day. Loading and uploading iron, $900. John Sullivan's ledger will show that there is—no money in railroad iron.

—The Clara, sunk in the Missouri, is broken so badly that it is impossible to raise her. The Salvor No. 2 is wrecking her. The machinery will be saved intact. About two hundred bales hemp, in the hold, will be save in damaged condition.

—The Clara Scott has been chartered by the Evansville and Paducah and Tennessee River Company to run in connection with the Sam Orr, until the new boat, now building in Cincinnati, is ready.

—Captain Powell has asked, and the proper department has indorsed his request, that an appropriation of $12,000 be made to complete the exploration of Colorado River and tributaries.

—George Spangler has applied for a patent on the design of the cabin sky light of the steamboat J. R. Stuart, now building at the Marine Ways, in Cincinnati.

—The Great Republic after sticking four days and being obliged to remove some five thousand sacks of corn, was successful in getting off on Tuesday.

—Captain Yerkes, of the R. C. Gray, reports 20 inches of water at Little Rock, and 12 inches above there.

—The Cumberland river was again risingon Wednesday with five feet on Harpeth Shoals.

—The Kate Putnam left Cincinnati for Pittsburgh on Wednesday. Pilots—Hamilton and Henderson.

—The Savanna arrived at St. Louis on Wednesday.

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22, 1870,

The Index Books will be furnished by the Commissioners, but all stationery necessary to be used will be required to be furnished by contractors.

The contractor or contractors will be required to give bond in the same amount required by law to be given by the Recorder of Deeds of Allegheny county, and with at least two sufficient sureties, which bond shall be conditional for the faithful performance of the said work.

A specimen book, showing the size of the index books to be used, and the plan upon which said indexes are to be made, can be seen by applying to Mr. HUNTER, at the Recorder's office.

The Commissioners reserve to themselves the right to supervise the work, and on the completion of the indexing of each volume of the Deed or Mortgage Books, to rescind the contract if the work does not meet their approbation.

Each bid will be required to contain the price per piece and the time within which the bidder will undertake to complete the contract, and will be accompanied by the names of the sureties proposed to be given for the faithful performance of the work.

Each bidder may bid for the whole work, or for the making of the indexes in the Deed Books or Mortgage Books alone, but if the contract for making the indexes to the Mortgage Books be awarded to different parties, each will be required to give security in the same amount as the bond of the Recorder of Deeds.

The Commissioners also reserve to themselves the right to reject or accept any bid or bids as in their judgment may be most conducive to the public interest.

The bids will be addressed through the Postoffice to the Commissioners, No. 68 GRANT STREET, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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Our Saturday Weekly.

Our Saturday WEEKLY GAZETTE, containing a full description of the Soldiers' Monument, Laying of the Corner-Stone, and the General observance of Decoration Day, can be had at our Counting Room this morning. It is just the paper to send to your friends.

Alderman Moreland yesterday committed Timothy O'Brien to jail for threatening to dispose of Micheal O'Rourke in a felonious way.

The Andes Insurance Company still continues to gain favor with Pittsburghers. Their stock is going rapidly. See prospectus on second page.

The boy Dennis O'Connor, who was run over on Liberty street Thursday evening is recovering, and will it is expected, be about again in a few days.

Allegheny City rejoices in another new paper, called the *Twin City Star*. T. Burton is the editor and proprietor. We suppose the longest pole will knock the "Persimmon."

Mercantile Library.—This institution will resume the circulation of books on and after Saturday, June 4, during the day time. By order of the Directors. A. H. Lane, Secretary.

Alderman Butler yesterday issued a warrant for the arrest of Albert Hollhouse. Albert had been engaged in a little knock down game with George Moreland. George came out second best.

Dyspepsia.—A new and effectual remedy for the cure of dyspepsia and all bilious complaints is sent free by the Philadelphia Botanic Institute upon application. Read their statement on first page.

Stationery of all Kinds, and of the quality and variety that cannot be surpassed in the city. All the late Magazines and Illustrated Papers at J. D. Egan's, No. — Smithfield street, next door to Masonic Bank.

Mrs. Lofters, a denizen of Hardscrabble, injudiciously threatened to split Mrs. Rice in twain, and to tear her into fragments. Alderman Morrow has the case in hand, and Mrs. Lofters will have a hearing to-day.

Mercantile Library.—The circulation of books at this Institution will be resumed this day. Until the fitting up of the Reading Rooms proper, books will not be given out after seven o'clock in the evening. See advertisement.

Attention, Douglass Zouaves.—A meeting will be held at the Miller street school house on Monday evening, June 6th, at 7½ o'clock. Business of importance to be transacted.

By order of
G. S. MASSEY, Capt.

Grand Concert.—Miss Ernest will give a vocal and instrumental concert at Liberty Hall, East Liberty, on Monday evening next, and from the able company she will have, we have no doubt but that it will prove quite a success. See card in another column.

Lands, Factories and Mills.—Under this heading, on our first page, will be found the advertisement of Jno. C. Kennedy & Sons, of Washington, D. C. These gentlemen offer some rare bargains in the way of real estate, which we call the attention of our capitalists to.

Child Whipping.—S. S. Ross, who resides near the upper basin, like other men objects to having his children whipped by other people, hence when Mrs. Eliza Johnson chastised a three year old Ross she got herself into trouble. Alderman Shore's constable is looking for her.

Discharged.—William McCartney, who was charged with the larceny of Mr. Shipton's watch, had a hearing before Alderman Thursday afternoon, when, from the testimony elicited, it was clearly evident that there was no foundation for the charge, and the accused was discharged.

Run Over.—Yesterday afternoon about 3½ o'clock David McCord, a boy, was run over on Penn street, near Seventeenth, in a buggy. He was cut in the head and bruised on the leg, but not dangerously injured. The driver of the vehicle gave his name as Alderman Koenig, but was subsequently discharged.

The Temptation.—Yesterday George A. Ross made information before Deputy Mayor Nichols against Leopold Hart for disorderly conduct. It is alleged that the accused attempted to drag the other into his saloon on Penn street, Ross strenuously objecting to the establishment, but recently "swore off," and thus was again tempted. Warrant issued.

Abandonment.—Fannie Essex made information before the Mayor, yesterday, charging her husband, Charles Essex, with abandonment. A warrant was issued, and Charles was arrested and taken to the lock-up. He was exceedingly drunk when arrested, and on examination three bottles of whisky and fifty-three dollars in cash were found in his possession. He is held for trial.

Variety and Beauty.—There is as much beauty and variety in manufactures sometimes, as in what is called the fine arts. Take, for example, the stock of queensware on exhibition at 363 Liberty street, from the Keystone Pottery. Elegance, taste, delicate finish and beautiful outlines, are comprised in it. The fancy can be pleased in these articles, both for ornament and use, just as well as in any other department.

Obituary.—We regret to announce this morning the death of Mr. Alexander Smith, which occurred yesterday morning at the residence of his father, in Butler county. The disease which terminated his life was a disease of the heart. The deceased was well known in this community, and had been engaged in journalism, at intervals, for several years, at one time having the editorial management of the Pittsburgh *Republic*. His funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon.

Fire in Lawrenceville.—A fire occurred about half past ten o'clock last night in McGowan's broom factory on Forty-fourth street, Seventeenth ward, by which the building, a two story frame, and its contents were destroyed. The alarm was sounded from box 4, to which the engine and the Hope Hook and Ladder responded, but the flames had made such progress that it was impossible to save the building. The loss will not fall short of $1,200, and we are informed that there was no insurance upon it.

Runaway.—An exciting runaway occurred on Wylie avenue yesterday afternoon about one o'clock. Dr. Gallaher's horse attached to the buggy, was tied to a post in front of a beer drug store, between Elm and Logan sts., when it became frightened, pulled the post up, and started down Wylie avenue. In its flight the animal took the pavement near Congress street, knocking down tree boxes, demolishing steps and wrecking the vehicle. The animal, freed from the buggy, ran several squares before it was finally secured. The loss from the buggy and harness will be about $125. Nobody hurt.

The Grocery House of Dilworth, Harper & Co., although but recently established, is one of the strongest and most popular in this city, and already it has a heavy patronage in Western Pennsylvania and Eastern Ohio. The two active partners of the firm, W. Dilworth and Albert Harper, are energetic and reliable business men, fully up to the times, and well versed in everything that pertains to their particular branch of trade. Mr. Dilworth has been engaged actively and extensively in the grocery business from his boyhood and understands it fully and thoroughly in all its various details.

Enterprise in Journalism!

The *Commercial* of yesterday published an article headed, "Wool in Beaver County," and gave credit to the Beaver *Argus* for the same. The entire article was the GAZETTE's report of the wool market of Pittsburgh, published in the issue of the 24th ult. The *Argus* changed the heading to suit the country. As we furnish the live stock, wool, and produce market for various country papers, we trust that in the future the *Argus* will be more careful, and thus save our neighbor embarrassment in publishing the reports weeks after their appearance in the GAZETTE.

Mortuary Report.

The following shows the number of deaths that occurred during the week, ending May 31, as reported by Dr. J. Guy McCandless, Physician of Board of Health:

Consumption, 3; typho-malarial fever, 1; paralysis, 1; premature birth, 3; inanition, 3; convulsion, 3; inflamation of brain, 2; scarlet fever, 2; cerebro-spinal meningitis, 3; marasmus, 2; cholera infantum, 3; uremia, 1; congestion of brain, 1; inflamation of lung, 1; hydrocephalus, 2; diarrhoea, 1; apoplexy, 1; old age, 1.

Of the above there were under 1 year, 11; from 1 to 2, 3; 2 to 5, 6; 5 to 20, 1; 20 to 30, 1; 30 to 40, 3; 50 to 60, 3; 60 to 70, 1; 80 to 90, 1.

Males, 18; females, 12, white, 29; colored, 1. Total 30.

Grand Opening of Dry Goods.

There will be a grand opening of an entirely new stock of dry goods by Messrs. McKee, Murphy & Co., successors to J. W. Barker & Co., No. 59 Market street, on Monday next. The stock has just been purchased under personal supervision by one of the members of the new firm, and is in every respect choice and complete. All the gentlemen composing the present firm were connected with the old house of J. W. Barker & Co., and are well acquainted with the tastes of the numerous patrons. There will be nothing "humbug" we are assured, in the way of selling cheap and first-class goods to give satisfaction to their customers, and secure a liberal share of public patronage.

Interesting Announcement.

Captain Hugh S. Fleming the genial and popular occupant of our shrievalty will have something of interest transpiring at his office in the Court House Monday morning commencing at ten o'clock—that being the time for the sales, presided over by him. The announcement will be of especial interest to capitalists, as among the property to be disposed of, are some of the finest pieces of real estate in the county. The opportunity is one which the wise will know how to improve. The worthy and accomplished conductor of the ceremonies will be assisted by his affable and efficient deputy, Mr. W. H. Deihl, who from experience has come to be at home on such occasions. There will doubtless be a full attendance.

Personal.

Rev. Franklin Ohlinger, the highly esteemed pastor of the First German M. E. church of this city, has been appointed, by the Board of Bishops, missionary to Foochou China. He will leave for his distant field of labor about the first of next September. He has been pastor of the church here since 1868, and has won the love of all with whom he associated. His many friends in the community join with the congregation in their regret at his removal.

Rev. Mr. Ohlinger is the first German Methodist minister sent as a missionary from this country to foreign lands. Impressed with the importance and solemn responsibility of the work and with a fervent zeal and love for it, he can hardly fail to be a faithful, earnest toiler, and achieve abundant success. The best wishes and Christian sympathies of his friends go with him.

A DUEL.

Wine and Woman the Cause—A Respectable Married Man of Allegheny Fleeced by a Street Walker—He is Prosecuted for Adultery and Flights a Duel.

A duel in Pittsburgh in May, 1870! Two men meet in a room in one of our principal hotels, and, taking position at opposite ends, deliberately fire two shots apiece at each other. Had such an affair transpired a century ago, it might not have created a sensation, as the code *duello* was then the code of honor. But at this late day, in this enlightened and civilized city, from whence the practice of duelling has long since been expelled, and rejected as one of the relics of the barbarism of the dark ages, this statement naturally enough seems incredulous and strange, aye, wondrous strange, but 'tis no more strange than true. That such a thing did transpire there is no doubt. We have the names of the parties and facts out of which the difficulty originated. The former we withhold for prudential reasons, but the latter are public property, and we give them for the benefit of our readers.

The story involves the reputation of a married man doing business in Allegheny, who has heretofore borne a good moral character, and for the sake of his wife and family we withhold his name from the public. As it will be necessary to refer to him frequently in the course of our story, it will be necessary to call him by some name, and let the appearance a better, we will call him Mr. Billings.

It appears that Mr. Billings, who is a man about thirty-five years of age, the proprietor of an establishment in Allegheny, a married man, and the father of two or three children, about a year since became enamoured of one of the *demi monde* of this city, a wooden dandy rate of principle, who by theft and otherwise has robbed him of over three thousand dollars. Mr. Billings is a man of rather weak mind, and from the time he first became acquainted with this vile woman, gave her almost complete control of his purse. She took advantage of his generosity and expended his money lavishly, and not being satisfied with the sum she could obtain from him by asking for it even added the crime of larceny to her "multitude of sins" by, at one time stole a check for $1,000 and another for $900, on both of which she procured the money, they having been endorsed by him.

So strong was Mr. B.'s infatuation for the vile creature that he never once suspected her of the theft, and even when it was fully demonstrated to him that she had procured the money on the checks he refused to believe it.

His friends having discovered how matters were resolved to save him from his folly if possible, and to that end one of them came to this city and had the lady who was consulted as to how their end might be accomplished. The facts of the case were stated to him and it was resolved between the parties that an information should be made against Mr. B. charging him with adultery, and after he was arrested withdraw the charge on condition that he pay over three more to do with the woman. The officer, at the request of Mr. B.'s friend, made the information before Alderman Lindsay in Allegheny, and the accused was arrested and held for a hearing, and the girl, hearing of the matter, put in an appearance at the hearing and demanded one hundred dollars to compromise the case. Mr. B. being somewhat alarmed at the turn affairs had taken, agreed to give her one hundred dollars and she in turn signed an agreement not to prosecute him.

The officer who had made the information, having an interest in the matter further than Mr. B.'s welfare, informed him that it was necessary for him to pay the three hundred dollars, and he went to the girl and on a threat of prosecuting her for the larceny of the check before mentioned, succeeded in having her disgorge $600, which was paid over to Mr. B., who, in compliance with his agreement, returned $300 of it to the girl, and then it was thought the matter would end. But it didn't. The interesting feature of the affair was yet to transpire, and that was

THE DUEL.

A few days since Mr. B. and the officer who had made the information against him met at one of our principal hotels, and adjourned to a room to have a friendly talk over the matter. They had not been in conversation long, however, until a point of difference arose between them. Mr. B. asserted that the girl was a virtuous and decent girl, and the officer denied the assertion. Words multiplied and finally blows were exchanged, and Mr. B., the smaller man, was knocked down. He got up and was knocked down a second time. Being satisfied that he was unable to fight the officer in that manner he proposed that they should fight a duel, and each having a pistol, pistols were selected as weapons. There being no person with them, and not desiring to give the matter any more publicity than was necessary, they resolved to dispense with seconds, and each one of the preliminaries themselves. They accordingly took positions in opposite corners of the room, and at the word fire, two shots were exchanged, but owing to the excited state of their nerves, the aim was unsteady and neither shot took effect. Mr. B. had by this time become much cooler and reasoned that the conflict would end. He admitted that he was wrong, and said he was satisfied that the officer had acted as his friend. So ended the duel, but there is an after-piece which we propose to give at another time, as it is not yet fully developed.

Sabbath School Anniversary.

The fourth anniversary of the Sixth Avenue United Presbyterian Mission Sabbath School was held last evening in the chief auditorium of the Sixth Avenue United Presbyterian Church. Long before the appointed hour well dressed and smiling children, with their parents were flocking to the church. As we entered the church we were struck with the beauty and appropriateness of the decorations. Evergreens and wreaths interwoven with fragrant natural flowers were suspended from pillar, and ceiling, and gas lets, in great profusion. Almost every child held in its hand a beautiful bouquet, and the pulpit and platform were adorned with a profusion of boquets and wreaths. Behind the pulpit was a beautiful evergreen tree in whose branches was fastened gilt cards bordered with roses, containing the beautiful words of Scripture Writ contained in the fifth chapter of Galatians, 22nd and 23rd verses as "But the fruits of the Spirit are love, joy, peace, long-suffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, meekness, temperance. The "Works of the Flesh," contained in the 19th to 5-19, were printed on cards in variegated letters, and fastened to the wall in the form of a cone right over the pulpit. On the platform was arranged six hundred beautifully gilt books—"the gift of the Superintendent to the children. The Sixth avenue Mission School Juvenile Choir was present, dressed in spotless white, and delighted the audience with some very fine pieces of music. Professor Edwin Sherratt presided at the organ.

The exercises were introduced by the singing of a part of the 65th psalm, commencing:

"Before the Lord a people waits
To praise Thy name in Zion's gates."

Reading of the scripture in concert then followed, conducted by Rev. John S. Sands. Rev. Thos. H. Hanna led in an appropriate prayer. Singing again a part of the psalm commencing:

"As pants the heart for cooling flood,
So pants my soul O living God,
To taste thy grace."

Then followed a highly interesting report from the Secretary, James A. Smeigh, Esq., from which we append a brief synopsis:

Total enrollment of the school 765. Increase over last year 140. First Sabbath evening each month, Children's Union Prayer meeting. Children's Prayer meetings every Sabbath evening; Children's Singing Class every Tuesday evening; Juvenile Choir class every Friday evening; Young Men's Literary Society each Thursday evening. Papers, tracts and cards distributed in the school and in outside missionary work 50,000. Teachers' weekly meeting each Friday evening. The Uniform Lesson System is adopted, using the Chicago National Teacher Series.

Mr. Smeigh also on behalf of the Treasurer, Miss Mattie Clark, reported $630 as the total amount of the Sabbath School collections for the year.

Rev. T. H. Hanna then conducted the Concert exercise; taking as subject the "Fruits of the Spirit" contained in the cards as presented on the tree. The lesson, if we could judge from the earnest attention and breathless silence, was a practical one. Mr. Hanna taught in an earnest, loving, simple manner, which could not fail to arrest the attention and impress the heart and mind of the child. As he presented each word in order the children repeated in concert a passage bearing on that word, after which the choir sang appropriate hymns, after which the pastor read a verse of an appropriate psalm. Then followed an address from Major Wm. Frew. Mr. Frew seemed to be a favorite with the children if we could judge from the hearty applause he received. His remarks were very appropriate to the occasion.

At the close of the address Rev. Mr. Hays, of Allegheny, led in prayer. The Superintendent, Thomas H. Rabe, Esq., addressed a few words, when the children were marched up to the platform, when each received a copy of a beautiful book, presented by the respective teachers.

We have had the pleasure of being present at the former anniversaries of this school, but none which has ever been such a perfect success, and around which happier memories will ever linger.

California Teachers' Excursion.

The great excursion of school teachers which left San Francisco Saturday, May 28th, numbering about three hundred, passed through here last evening on their way to New York, over the Fort Wayne and Pennsylvania route from Chicago. In point of numbers, this is the largest excursion ever organized on the Pacific slope to cross the continent by rail. They were taken from San Francisco to Omaha, nineteen hundred miles, with but one change of cars, and from Omaha to New York, one hundred hundred miles, with one change at Chicago. To those of the party who had turned Cape Horn, crossed the Isthmus or toiled their weary way for months overland to reach California, this flight of a week or a week from ocean to ocean must have seemed like a dream.

They had come through without sickness, delay or accident of any sort, and were as fresh and merry at the end of the three thousand miles as we should suppose on the first day out. Their train of palaces, the smooth and solid track of the Pittsburgh route, and the lively time Superintendent Layng gave them on his division, were loudly praised by the party.

Mr. Kimball, general agent of the Pennsylvania Central in the West, and Mr. James Denman, Superintendent of Public Schools in California, who accompanied the excursion, stopped here. Mr. D. will spend a few days examining our school system and return west by way of Cincinnati, Chicago, St. Louis, and other western cities.

Musical—Grand Concert.

Tuesday evening next the lovers of the good, pure, and the true in music will have a rich treat in the Grand Sacred Concert to be given at St. Pauls Cathedral. The managers of the entertainment have been careful to select a class of music not often brought before our people, but which is of the highest order of excellence and embodies some of the finest gems with which the world has ever been favored. The performers embrace many of our best amateurs, whose names are a sufficient guarantee that the affair will be of the most meritorious character. In the preparation for the event the greatest care has been exercised in every part, and it is confidently expected that the concert will be one not excelled by any previous effort of the kind ever witnessed in this city. We can assure our music-loving readers—and who is not of this class?—that a rare entertainment is in storeantee that the affair will not be interfered with by any other engagement for Tuesday evening next. Go and enjoy and be made better and happier by an evening spent in sacred music and song.

THE COURTS.

U. S. Circuit Court—Judge McCandless.

FRIDAY, June 3.—United States District Attorney Swope filed an information, in the nature of a writ of *quo warranto*, against the Second National Bank of Erie, to compel said corporation to show by what authority it continues to exercise the privileges and franchises of a National Bank, inasmuch as said privileges have been forfeited by said bank by receiving and taking a higher rate of interest than is allowed by the Act of Congress under which it has its existence. The writ was made returnable at Williamsport on the fourth Monday of June. This is the first writ of the character, we are informed, that has ever been issued against a National Bank.

Proceedings were also instituted against the Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad Company for taxes due the United States, amounting to $50,000, alleged to have been collected by the company from the bondholders, and not paid to the Collector of Internal Revenue, in violation of the law of 1864. Also a suit against the same company for penalties incurred in not paying the taxes as required by said act.

District Court—Judge Kirkpatrick.

FRIDAY, June 3.—Honegger & Co. for use of Waring & King, vs. H. B. Graham & Bro., foreign attachment on a contract for oil sold and delivered, two cases. Plaintiffs claim that they had a contract with defendants, who reside in St. Louis, to deliver to them two certain quantities of oil at a stated price and time, which was tendered at the time and place, but oil having declined in price defendants refused to receive the oil, and this action is brought to recover the difference between the contract price and the value of the oil at the date at which it was tendered, which in the first case amounts to $800 and $500 in the other.

Real Estate Transfers.

The following deeds were admitted to record in the office of Thomas H. Hunter, Recorder for Allegheny county, Friday, June 3, 1870:

James Dignam to E. D. Dithridge, February 16, 1869; twenty by one hundred feet, Chatham street, Pittsburgh, with buildings, $5,700

Samuel Garrison's heirs to John Gordon, April 16, 1870; forty-eight by one hundred feet, Baker street, Eighteenth ward, Pittsburgh, $400

John R. Bringle to Annie Askine, September 10, 1869; one hundred and twenty by two hundred and fifty feet, New Franklin Road, Reserve township, with buildings, $5,000

Elijah Dainty to James McCune, et al., May 3, 1870; thirty by one hundred and twenty feet on Water street, borough of West Elizabeth, $225

George Rester to Paul H. Hacke, June 25, 1866; five acres and sixty-four perches of land, Collins township, $10,000

James S. Devlin to Henry Short, June 25, 1869; twenty by one hundred feet on Calvin street, Seventeenth ward, Pittsburgh, $500

W. A. C. Thomson to George Reis, June 29, 1868, twenty by one hundred and forty-five feet, on Manor street, South Pittsburgh, with buildings, $500

Wm. H. Evans to Edward L. Wood, June 1, 1870, one and one-seventh acres of land in borough of Mt. Washington, with buildings, $5,000

Walter P. Feil to A. M. Rolfe, April 1, 1870, one acre and one hundred and six perches of land in borough of Mt. Washington, with buildings, $2,600

H. S. Fleming, Sheriff, to Catharine Saddler, May 28, 1870; twenty-two by one hundred and ten feet on Long Lane, Allegheny, with buildings $175

Amusements.

OPERA HOUSE.—The Opera House, which has been closed during the present week, the regular season having terminated, will be re-opened this afternoon, on which occasion Mr. Frank Conklin, the courteous and gentlemanly treasurer, will be the recipient of a benefit. Mr. HARRY HOTTO, the ever popular "funny man," having volunteered his services on the occasion, arrived in the city yesterday looking hale and hearty, and was cordially welcomed "home" by his many friends. In consideration of Mr. Hotto's kindness in favoring us with his presence again, it has been arranged by his friends to tender him a benefit this evening for which occasion an immense bill has been arranged. Of course all the friends of the beneficiaries will attend the Opera House this afternoon and evening.

COMING.—There are at present so many worthless companies of minstrels traveling through the country that when one of first class entertainments are almost if not quite below par, but when a first class troupe visits the city, especially one like Kelly and Leon's "Kanucks & Dixies," the stock goes up instantly, and the prevailing question is, "Have you been to hear Kelly and Leon's Minstrels?" Judging from well known and popular company will commence an engagement at the Academy of Music of six nights and one matinee, during which time we have no doubt the house will be crowded.

KELLY & LEON'S MINSTRELS have been drawing large audiences at the Academy of Music during the past week, which is the best evidence that the troupe is a good one. They give a grand matinee this afternoon, and close their engagement with this evening's entertainment.

Amateur Base Ball.

EDITORS GAZETTE: I read with pleasure, quite recently, regarding the organization of a "nine" selected from the famous "Allegheny" and "Enterprise" clubs, which I think will render a good account after a little practice.

While Cincinnati has her professional "Red Stockings," and Chicago her "White Stockings," let us be content with a club of first class amateur players. Professional base ball, like professional rowing is a nuisance to be "frowned" upon, subject to discuss, and calculated to discourage our young men from cultivating these athletic graces. Let Pittsburgh and Allegheny young men practice this fine, healthy pastime on some green sward, as often as business engagements will allow, and thereby add to their culture than with a view to professional excellence.

Is it necessary, in order to keep up the public interest in out-door sport calculated to develop the *man*, that we must introduce the extremely objectionable element of betting? Let us sometimes sharp enough to develop the *gamester*?

Let our young men enjoy the freedom of the ball ground and the excitement of the friendly contest for excellence; it will invigorate the body and enliven the mind for the graver duties of the student or the toiler. Let the list of our base ball *clubs* be composed of gentlemen amateurs, aspiring only to practical excellence within reasonable bounds.

AMATEUR.

Assaulted an Officer.

Joseph Chapman, by attempting to get out of one difficulty in an improper manner, has involved himself in a far more serious one. It appears that Joseph went to his boarding house, which is kept by a widow lady, a few days since, and being slightly under the influence of liquor, he resolved to break up housekeeping for the lady. He was interrupted in his amusement, however, after having demolished a large mirror, and turned out of the house. To prevent a recurrence of the affair, the lady made information before an Alderman charging Joseph with disorderly conduct. A warrant was issued and placed in the hands of officer O'Mara who started in search of the valiant mirror smasher and found him at the Rush House, yesterday morning drunk as usual. When the officer arrested him he resisted, and it is alleged struck the officer several blows. Assistance came, however, and the prisoner was taken before the Alderman, who, after a hearing, committed him to jail. Officer O'Mara then made information before the Mayor charging Chapman with assault and battery. A commitment was lodged against the accused.

War of Extermination.

Among the white residents on the hill is Mrs. Margaret Neely. She has a great aversion to her colored neighbors, which was manifested in several overt acts against them. Six times she was before Alderman Butler, and twice before Alderman Lindsay in one day; but her warlike spirit cooled not. She was firm in her determination to exterminate from her neighborhood. Yesterday for the tenth time, she appeared before Alderman McMasters. It was alleged that she observed Nettie Rose, a young colored girl, quietly engaged in scrubbing in front of her house, when she seized the bucket and brought it with force down upon the youngster's head, following up the attack with other demonstrations of a violent character. She will have a hearing before the Alderman today.

Dressing.

A fashionable easy fitting suit of cloth log has a silent influence upon a man's character and actions which is not generally recognized but which is nevertheless felt. An individual can never appear in his proper light with an awkward unseemly, chafing coat or vest or garment of any kind. The noise of a goose saved Rome, and sometimes a man's suit of clothing has the shaping, in a great measure, of his future destiny.

To be always on the safe side, and get the full value of the money expended gentlemen will find Hespenheide & Co.'s fashionable house, No. 60 Sixth street, just the place for them.

The Continental.

The proprietor of the famous Continental' Fifth avenue, below the Postoffice, has succeeded in popularizing his establishment by attention to a few simple rules, the most important of which is the preparation for the guest, of food in season and of the best quality and cooked to a turn. Go in at any hour of the day and a meal is ready which will tempt the appetite of any who can at all appreciate what is healthful and palatable. One of the features of the establishment is the regular Saturday and Wednesday dinners, with which especial care is taken. All in to-day ye hungry ones and appease your appetites with the most delicious of viands.

Books at Half Price.—Sabbath School Library Books, Medical Works, Theological Works, Architectural and Mechanical Works, together with a large collection of valuable miscellaneous works received from families, at Col. J. D. Egan's, No. — Smithfield street, next door to Masonic Bank.

Smokers, Attention.

Tobacco,	Cigars,	Pipes,
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No. 30 Fifth avenue.

The Girard House.—Clean, cosy and comfortable are the characteristics of the Girard House, Allegheny. Like the Eagle, this old established house seems, under the proprietorship of Mr. G. C. Lightcap, to have renewed its youth. Travelers through the city, or all who want a quiet, convenient boarding-house, should stop at the Girard House, corner of Federal and Robinson streets, Allegheny.

Delightful Country Residence

For sale, within twenty-five minutes' drive of City Hall and only six minutes' walk from Laughlin or Frankstown station on the Connellsville Railroad. There are between seven and eight acres of ground in the very highest state of cultivation and laid out in the most tasteful manner, by an expert in that line, in walks, drives, &c. It is acknowledged, by persons familiar with this and all the leading properties adjacent to the city, to have the very finest variety of fruits in this part of the country, such as apples, peaches, pears, plums, cherries, quinces, apricots, nectarines, grapes, &c., and an endless variety of garden vegetables, flowers, &c., and the great variety of shrubbery and shade trees, some of them very rare, is unsurpassed by any other place in this part of the country. The view of the city, the river, and the whole country around, is varied and truly magnificent. The house is a cottage, very conveniently arranged, and the gardener's house is very handsome and well gotten up; also, a good stable, carriage house, &c. There are two wells and one spring of the very best water, delightfully cold, and also a very large underground cistern, with pump, &c. The vegetable garden is now full of fine vegetables, many of them now ready for use. There are many attractions too numerous to mention, such as patent swings, &c. It is certainly the most desirable place now for sale in this part of the country, and must be seen to be appreciated, for there are many attractions that are really too grand for description without seeing them. This very desirable property will be sold low and on reasonable terms. The neighborhood is excellent, and, in short, cannot be surpassed in any other part of the country. For further information inquire of C. H. Love, 58 Fourth avenue.

Bulletin.

Here are a few of the claims which, it is hoped, with due modesty, are set forth by Messrs. C. G. Hammer & Sons, of Nos. 46, 48 and 50 Seventh avenue, in behalf of their extensive furniture warerooms. That it is more extensive, produces more elegant furniture, and of later styles and more durable character than any other establishment in the city, which, notwithstanding its superior character, they sell at the ordinary rates.

These are rather high pretensions, considering the amount and character of the competition they have, and no one is expected to admit them without seeing for himself. Parties interested in the subject are invited to visit their extensive show rooms and view the display of elegant furniture, with the promise that they can not see anything like it elsewhere in Pittsburgh. Understand, you are not invited *to be bored into purchasing in spite of yourself*, but to see an extensive display of furniture *of a character not hitherto produced in Pittsburgh*. The halls are large, well lighted, with convenient passages for the purpose of the furniture designed for exhibition, not piled in stacks, so that, whether purchasing or not, your visit may be a pleasant one.

Elegant Mansion House.

Formerly occupied by James A. Hutchison, Esq., Sixth ward, Allegheny City, together with about three acres of ground, fronting on the Ohio river, Preble, Bayard and Adams streets. The river front is 360 feet, the mansion is about 84 by 44 feet, two stories high, slate roof; the rooms are large—parlor 18 by 40, dining room 19 by 28, library 17 by 19, hall 8 by 40, porch 8 by 40, and the chambers, kitchen, pantry, bath and other rooms are all very large and airy, and conveniently arranged, so as to go into any room in the house without having to go through any other. Nearly all the rooms have marble or slate mantles, the ceilings are lofty and many of them handsomely paneled in tasteful style; the grounds are handsomely laid out in lawns, &c., and well covered with fine fruit, such as apples, peaches, pears and other small fruit. The house has two fronts—the one on the river is a magnificent view of the river and the whole country around, and is a very pleasant place, having the fresh breeze from the river, and free from any smoke, soot, &c. Inquire of C. H. Love, 58 Fourth avenue.

Real Estate! Real Estate!

A Leggate, Auctioneer, invites special attention to the following sales;

On Monday, June 6th, at ten o'clock, the house and lot, 55 Monterey street, (adjourned from Monday last.) This is a good property, on a good street, near the Park, on a line of cars and very desirable. The four adjoining lots is assumed by Ford, feet, and one corner lot, 26 by 70 feet, on which is built the foundation of a house. Also, at 11 o'clock of the same day, a fine lot on Gallagher street, Second ward, Allegheny 100 by 156 feet. Also, at the same time, several lots in John Mc-Crory's plan in Brodt's Grove, now laid out in very desirable building lots of various sizes. Parties unacquainted with this locality are specially invited to examine. They will be struck with its beauty and advantages. On Tuesday, June 7th, at two o'clock, those superior building lots of Captain Jenks, on Sandusky street, above Ohio street. The corner lot contains a brick dwelling of eight rooms and stable.

Full particulars of these and other sales at A. Leggate's, 159 Federal street, Allegheny.

Seasonable Goods.

Unrivalled for quality and cheapness at 112 Federal street, Allegheny.

Spiced Salmon.
Fresh Lobsters.
Pickled Oysters.
Spiced Clams.
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Spiced Oysters.
Pickled Clams.
Fresh Cove Oysters.
Sardines, Truffles, Potted Meats.
French Peas and Mushrooms, Capers.
Queen and Spanish Olives, Olive Oil.
French Mixed Pickles and Piccalilli.
Terrine des Foies Gras.
English Pickles, Sauces, Ketchups, Mustards.
Assorted Syrups, Extracts, Preserves, Marmalades, Delicea Raisins.
Paper Shell Almonds.
Fine Canned Peaches, Plums, Cherries and Fresh Fruits, in glass.
Choice Figs and Dates, Prunelles, &c.

GEO. BEAVEN.

PEARL COAL WORKS.—Schnabel & Walker have on hand, and deliver daily to any part of Pittsburgh and Allegheny, coal, nut coal, and slack at the lowest cash prices. Special rates to regular customers and for large orders. This coal is the best offered in the city. Office and yard, corner of Sandusky street and West Penn Railroad, Allegheny city. TTHS

PEOPLE always buy the best, is the reason that Pier, Dannals & Co. sell so much of their cream ale.

The City during this week has been unusually crowded with strangers in attendance at the various public gatherings and Conventions which accounts in a great measure for the great trade enjoyed by Liebler at his warerooms No. 101 Wood street. Strangers who have been vexed beyond endurance with an old rickety, rackety trunk, when they see such at those made by Liebler are not long in supplying themselves with an outfit in that line.

Gents' Merino Shirts and Drawers.
do. Merino Half Hose.
In great variety at the New Stand Stocking Store. John Degelman & Co., No. 30 Fifth avenue.

The Heated Term.—The best proof against the sweltering heat of these warm nights is a cool, delicious flavored dish of ice cream, with its accompanying concomitants, from Youngson's, corner of Smithfield street and Diamond alley. Ladies and gentlemen will find this one of the most delightful ice cream saloons and confectioneries in the city.

Sun Shades.—W. W. Moorhead, No. 81 Market street, has just received a new assortment of fine parasols and sun shades, comprising every style and quality, and sold at all prices. Summer lace goods and novelties for the ladies' wardrobe. Ribbons and flowers, hats and trimmings, gloves and fans, hankerchiefs and hosiery in endless profusion at Moorhead's, 81 Market street.

Those diseases which are peculiar to females, as Female Weakness, Leucorrhea, Weak Back, Irregularities, and Nervous or General Debility are permanently cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Alterative Extract or Golden Medical Discovery. Sold by dru gists, or send $3.25 to R. V. Pierce, M.D., Buffalo, N. Y., and get three bottles free of express charges.

The Spring Stock of Henry G. Hale, Merchant Tailor, at corner of Penn avenue and Sixth street, is now large and complete. Monsieur Bonpain continues to preside at the cutting. tf

Ladies desire what men admire. And this little thing is Beauty. What do we say is beautiful? A transparent complexion and a luxuriant head of hair. What will produce these? Hagan's Magnolia Balm will make any lady of thirty appear but twenty; and Lyon's Kathairon will keep every hair in its place, and make it grow like the April grass. It prevents the hair from turning gray, eradicates Dandruff, and is the finest Hair Dressing in the world, and at only half ordinary cost. If you want to get rid of Sallowness, Pimples, Ring-marks, Moth-patches, etc., don't forget the Magnolia Balm. ttthsr

ELIZABETH, PA.

Decoration Day—Round Hill.

MESSRS. EDITORS GAZETTE: As no preparations for observing Decoration Day were made by the citizens of this vicinity, the pupils of Harmony School, Elizabeth township, Wm. F. Lindsey, teacher determined to pay their respects to the memories of the heroic dead, which their gallant deeds on flood and field, demand of old and young.

Early in the afternoon the pupils repaired to the residence of Mr. John Power, who gave them privilege of taking and using such flowers and evergreens as were needed, a kindness which they highly appreciated.

In a very short time quite a large number of most beautiful evergreen wreaths and handsome boquets were skillfully woven and tastefully arranged by the little maidens, exhibiting such elegant refinement as could come only from young and tender hearts, filled with love for the brave soldier who died that they might live to enjoy the blessings of a free country.

This work being finished they returned to the schoolroom, from whence they marched to the Round Hill graveyard, where two of "our blue-coated dead" are "sleeping the sleep that knows no breaking." Here had assembled a number of friends to witness and assist in the strewing of these graves—an exhibition of the fondest affection and deepest sorrow of the human breast.

An appropriate song was sung by the school children, after which Mr. Scott Patterson, in a solemn and becoming manner, read their beautiful and touching poem, "Four hundred thousand men."

The girls, large and small, loaded with Spring's most generous gifts, now proceeded quietly and solemnly to each grave, on which they placed their wreaths and gently strewed their flowers. The boys followed, reverently passing each grave with uncovered heads.

What solemn thoughts of the past came rushing in rapid succession through our minds as we watched that little band winding its way through this silent city of the dead, treading lightly over the green turf that enshrines the lowly bed of many departed spirits, and selecting here and there a grave on which they gently, quietly, solemnly and reverently laid these tokens of love, coming from warm and generous hearts—placed them on the graves of our nation's heroes who fell on the bloody field, or departed away in the dreary hospital, or sunk under the hardships of the long and tedious march; and then brought back by loved ones, lifeless and dying, to slumber in the sight of the "dear old home," and be guarded by ever true and faithful friends!

After the strewing of flowers they returned to the yard in front of the church, where Miss Flora Howell, in a most feeling and impressive manner, read "The Blood Bath," and then sung the long meter Doxology in such a manner as told that their hearts were with the flowers with which they had decorated the graves of the soldier dead.

HARMONY.

THE Galesburg *Free Press*, of May 30, "hears from a source which cannot be doubted, that a certain school teacher in this city, was recently, guilty of a most inhuman act of cruelty. It seems that one of her pupils, a little boy about 8 years of age, had committed some petty misdemeanor, and, after whipping him quite severely, she further added to the punishment in the following manner. She obliged him to stoop over in such a manner that his head should hang down and his back should be completely bent, allowing him no support whatever, except the forefinger of the left hand